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ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

BOARD OF OFFICERS

—OF THE TOWN OF—

WESTON, VT.,

For the Year Ending

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TOWN OF WESTON

Auditors' Report

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1905

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE SELECTMEN

1905 To C. E. Bolster
Feb. 15 For services as selectman the past year.... $12.75

1905 To H. E. Felton
For services as selectman the past year.. $10.25

1905 To Frank Lovejoy
Feb. 15 For services as selectman the past year.... $4.00

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE OVERSEER

1905 To W. H. Sheppard

For services as overseer the past year,	$10.00	
Cash paid out	2.25	
Moving Mrs. Hosley	1.00—	$13.25

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS

1905 To A. E. Bryant

Feb. 15 For services as school director the past year	$1.00	
For postage	1.00—	$2.00

1905 To C. B. Sprague

Feb. 15 For services as school director the past year	$ 3.00	
For labor on Wiley schoolhouse	1.25	
For money paid out	3.52—	$7.77
By one bushel of mortar		.75
		$7.02

1905 To W. B. Foster

Feb. 15 For services as school director the past year	$ 5.00	
For clerk of school board taking census of 185 scholars at 4 per cent.	7.40	
Filling out registers	2.00—	$14.40

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT

1905 To C. A. Smith
Feb. 15 For services as superintendent the past year $20.00

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TREASURER

1905 To W. W. Manning

Feb. 15 For services as treasurer	$20.00	
Collecting 4478.02 at .01 per cent	44.78	
Making warrants for 254 names of delinquents	12.70	
Quarterly returns under license law	2.00	
Postage	1.32—	$80.80

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN CLERK

1905	To Emma C. Peabody	
Feb. 15	For preparing inventories	$ .75
	" attending town meeting	2.00
	" making list of transfers and abstract	1.50
	" cash paid for dog license book	1.15
	" freeman's meeting	2.00
	" meeting for presidential election	2.00
	" statistics for State supt.	5.25
	" recording town business	4 30
	" recording births and deaths of 1904	1.80
	" copying births, deaths and marriages for secretary of state board of health	3.10
	" Postage and express	1.00
	" Special town meeting in May, etc.	1.00
		$25.85

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CIVIL AUTHORITY

1905	To F. W. Bolster	
Feb. 15	For meeting with civil authority revising check list	$ .75
	For abating taxes	.75
		$1.50

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TRUANT OFFICER

1905	To C. J. Winship	
Feb. 15	For services as truant officer the past year	$2.50
	For services rendered on warrant of State vs. Bernice Sparks	1.50
		$4.00

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE AUDITOR

1905	To C. H. Lester	
Feb. 15	For 7 days making report	$10.50

Selectmen's Report

ORDERS GIVEN SINCE LAST SETTLEMENT.

1904	No.		
Mar. 1	1	To E. C. French, for plank furnished in 1902	$ 19.20
25	2	F. W. Bolster for M. E. church fund	12.58
	3	G. E. Coleman for Baptist " "	12.58
29	4	A. D. Gilmore, for Cong'l " "	12.58
	5	C. E. Bolster, services as selectman 1903-4	6.05
	6	Frank Lovejoy, for services as selectman 1903-4	3.89
	7	W. H. Sheppard, for services as overseer	10.00
	8	W. W. Manning, for services as town treasurer 1903-4	72.22

		9	Emma C. Peabody, for services as town clerk 1903-4	20.41
		10	G. E. Coleman, for services as truant officer 1903-4	4.00
		11	C. H. Lester, for services as auditor 1903-4	9.50
		12	A. E. Bryant, for services as auditor 1903-4	.75
		13	F. E. Stoodley, for services as grand juror 1903-4	12.40
		14	A. D. Gilmore, for stamps and express on town reports	2.74
		15	Fred Reynolds, for cutting out ice and snow under bridge	2.00
Apr.	4	16	A. E. Cudworth, for retaining fee 1903-4	10.00
	11	17	Mrs. S. A. Sprague, for money loaned the town at 5 per cent	100.00
		18	F. W. Bolster, for work on town clock, and ½ day with civil authority	2.25
May	12	19	R. K. Taylor, for work on mountain bridge	1.00
		20	T. A. Robinson, for painting tower and clock dials	10.00
	19	21	C. E. Bolster, for care of town clock from Apr. 1, 1903 to Apr. 1, 1904	9.00
		22	Jacob Smith, for money loaned the town at 5 per cent	200.00
	20	23	A. D. Waite, for eleven days taking list	16.50
	28	24	I. F. Smith, for interest on notes	65.20
		25	G. T. Foster, for harrow for town	16.00
		26	Felix C. Lester, for cleaning and repairing town clock	3.65
June	6	27	National Bank of Chester for money loaned the town	500.00
		28	E. R. and Ina M. Tuttle, for damage on land used for water course	2.00
		29	John L. Bacon, for state, school and highway taxes	391.46
	13	30	Chester National Bank for money loaned the town	500.00
	20	31	H. A. Stevens, for use of water	2.00
	22	32	P. T. Shattuck, for interest on note to Apr. 2, 1904	15.00
	24	33	Chester National Bank, for money loaned the town	500.00
	27	34	E. C. French, for bridge plank	25.00
July	5	35	C. E. Clayton, " "	59.88
	14	36	Frederick Chapman, for county tax	15.06
	27	37	C. A. Smith, for expense attending	

			school as health officer	16.00
Aug.	11	38	G. E. Coleman, for receipts for town	3.00
		39	Leon Monnier, for damage on land for winter road	2.00
		40	G. H. Coburn for library fund	56.00
	24	41	F. E. Stoodley, for services as lister	27.80
	26	42	W. G. Austin, for services as lister	16.50
		43	E. H. Crane, for printing town reports	24.00
Sept.	20	44	W. E. Benson, for street lights from April 1st to October 1st	75.85
		45	W. E. Benson, for lumber sold town	2.58
	23	46	Roscoe printing house for printing official votes	7.25
Oct.	13	47	W. W. Manning for making tax lists	3.00
	24	48	Frank Lovejoy, for work on bridges	13.04
		49	A. F. Peck, for bridge timber	2.00
		50	F. A. Simonds, for drawing slate	11.25
	27	51	Fred M. Reynolds, for sheep killed by dogs	5.00
	29	52	C. E. Clayton, for drawing slate	2.50
		53	W. S. Shattuck, for bridge timber and labor	5.75
Nov.	5	54	Elmer Lampson, for slating one side of town hall	91.00
		55	Jay Peck, for repairing chimney on town hall	1.00
		56	James G. Spaulding, for interest on note and interest	65.49
	7	57	J. A. Parkhurst, for goods furnished town	8.45
		58	C. E. Bolster, for work on bridges and cash paid out	12.95
	23	59	E. C. French, for bridge plank	4.16
Dec.	20	60	Sophronia E. Peck, for keeping tramp	.75
	22	61	Fred P. Graves, for bridge plank and labor	3.06
	27	62	Miles K. Cone, for money loaned the town at 4 per cent	800.00
1905				
Jan.	2	63	P. H. Fuller, for bridge timber	16.19
	5	64	Miles K. Cone, money loaned the town at 4 per cent	200.00
	7	65	C. B. Sprague, for assisting in burying three horses at Lovejoy's	1.00
	27	66	C. F. Mansur, for repairing town water	3.15
Feb.	6	67	C. A. Smith, for services as health officer	6.00
		68	Cudworth and Pierce, for services as council for town	24.00
	9	69	G. E. Coleman, for services rendered	

		town and for election.....	4.85
13	70	J. N. Waite, trustee, for interest on U. S. surplus fund, 2 yrs. interest	176.64
	71	C. E. Bolster, for services at Sept. election, express and postage.....	2.50
14	72	P. H Fuller, for sheep killed by dogs	7.50
	73	L. S. Bolster, 1 day as ballot clerk, 3 hours to Leys about horse.....	1 95
			$4349.06

Total amount of town's money expended by selectmen

Town officers' bills	$ 230.47	
Plank bridges and repairs ...	179.81	
State school and highway taxes	406.52	
Amount for electric lights. ..	80.70	
Care and repairs of clock, etc.,	26.90	
Library fund.....	56.00	
Cost of slating one side of town hall	104.75	
Cost of printing reports.....	24.00	
Miscellaneous bills.....	105.08	
Total amount of borrowed money orders.....	2800.00	
Total amount of interest on notes.....	322 33	
Sheep killed by dogs.....	12.50	
		$4349.06

C. E. BOLSTER,
H. E. FELTON,
FRANK LOVEJOY. } SELECTMEN.

Overseer's Report

ORDERS GIVEN SINCE LAST SETTLEMENT

1904	No.		
Mar. 1	115	To Mrs. Noble Croff, for boarding Mrs. Hosley 5 weeks	$ 10.00
3	116	Fanny Allen Hospital for boarding Theodore Hosley five weeks..	25.60
31	117	Fanny Allen Hospital for boarding Theodore Hosley five weeks.....	20.00
	118	H. A. Hannum for goods for Joe Wood.....	5.50
Apr. 1	119	Mrs. Noble Croff for caring for Mrs. Hosley.....	10.00
	120	Clark Pease for caring for Harry Foster.....	19.00
May 1	121	Mrs. Noble Croff for caring for Mrs. Hosley.....	10.00
14	122	Fanny Allen Hospital for Theodore	

			Hosley	20.00
	17	123	Fred Simonds for keeping tramp	1.00
June	1	124	Noble Croff for boarding Mrs. Hosley	10.25
	4	125	Fanny Allen Hospital, boarding Theodore Hosley	25.00
July	1	125	Noble Croff, boarding Mrs. Hosley	10.00
		126	Clark Pease, boarding Harry Foster	19.00
		127	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20 00
Aug.	1	128	Noble Croff, caring for Mrs. Hosley	10.00
	8	129	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20.00
Sept.	1	130	Noble Croff, caring for Mrs. Hosley	10.00
		131	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	25.00
	10	132	W. S. Shattuck, caring for Henry Levy's family	3.53
Oct.	2	133	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20.00
		134	Noble Croff, caring for Mrs. Hosley	10.00
	6	135	Clark Pease, caring for Harry Foster	20.00
	17	136	Noble Croff, caring for Mrs. Hosley	5.00
	31	137	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	25.00
Nov.	14	138	J. A. Parkhurst, for goods to Joe Wood and Mrs. Hosley	56.59
		139	Geo. Bowen, boarding Mrs. Hosley	10.00
Dec.	1	140	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20.00
	15	141	Clark Pease, caring for Harry Foster	15.00
		142	Geo. Bowen, caring for Mrs. Hosley	10.00
1905				
Jan.	2	143	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20.00
	16	144	Geo. Bowen, caring for Mrs. Hosley	10.00
Feb.	6	145	J. Q. A. Cragin, casket for Harry Foster	33.00
		146	C. A. Smith, M. D., medical service for Harry Foster	3.00
		147	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	25.00
		148	Frank Church, overseer of poor, town of Chester, for C. J. Foster's family	78.85
	10	149	Clark Pease, caring for Harry Foster	21.00
		150	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for Eugene	

		Potter and Joe Wood	32.34
	151	J. E. Galvin, medical service for Eugene Potter's family	7.50
			$695.56

COST TO SUPPORT THE POOR.

Cost to support	Mrs. Hosley	$ 122.34
"	C. J. Foster's family	78.85
"	Theodore Hosley	265.00
"	Henry Levy's family	3.53
"	Joe Wood	63.60
"	Harry Foster	130.00
"	Eugene Potter	31.24
F. A. Simonds,	keeping tramp	1.00
		$695.56

W. H. SHEPPARD, OVERSEER.

School Directors' Report.

ORDERS GIVEN SINCE LAST SETTLEMENT.

1904	No.		
Mar. 2	1	To John Kile, for 3 cds. wood Shattuck school	$ 8.25
4	2	C. A. Smith, services as Supt. schools	20.00
21	3	F. W. Bolster, services as school director	13.88
21	4	Annie L. Waite, cleaning 4 school houses	11.00
April 19	5	Frank Coburn, labor on village school house	9.00
20	6	G. H. Cone, labor on village schoolhouse	10.50
20	7	Henry Coburn, lamps for village school house	1.00
21	8	H. S. Kile, 4 cds. wood, Burnett school house	10.00
23	9	C. Croff, 3 cds. wood, Wiley schoolhouse	10 50
28	10	G. H. Cone, bal. for work on Wiley schoolhouse	14.30
28	11	Frank Coburn, bal. for work on Wiley schoolhouse	12.60
28	12	E. C. French, wood for Bennett school house	1.53
29	13	E. C. French, wood for village and Shattuck schoolhouses	5.57
30	14	Annie Waite, cleaning village school house	2.50
May 7	15	John Marshall, wood for village school house	33.75
12	16	O. W. Howe, cash paid out	7.34
12	17	Aldis Waite, sawing and putting wood in Bennett schoolhouse	2.24

	16	18	Bessie Beck, teaching Shattuck school	24.00
	27	19	Horace Kile, sawing and putting wood in Shattuck school house	4.50
June	6	20	J. N. Waite, services as school director	10.00
	6	21	W. B. Foster, school supplies	6.70
	6	22	Lena Woods, teaching Wiley school	30 00
	24	23	Emma M. Cook, teaching village school 10 weeks	70.00
	25	24	Bessie Beck, teaching Shattuck school 10 weeks	36 00
	25	25	Rose French, teaching Intermediate school 10 weeks	60.00
	27	26	Carl Sprague, care of village school house	6.00
	27	27	John Marshall, wood for village school house	33.75
	27	28	Abby Follett, for teaching primary village school	60 00
July	1	29	R. Bellville, care of Bennett school house	5.00
	1	30	Lena Woods, bal. teaching Wiley school	24.00
	2	31	Pearl Hart, care of Wiley schoolhouse	2 50
	5	32	Waterman, stock for Wiley schoolhouse	3.96
	5	33	Mariam Ellis, teaching Bennett school 10 weeks	60.00
	8	34	Gladys I. Cheney, teaching Island school 10 weeks	60 00
	21	35	Laura Paine, care of Island schoolhouse	1.60
Aug.	11	36	The Tuttle Co., school supplies	33.80
	13	37	W. B. Foster, cash paid out	2.00
	24	38	F. E. Stoodley, services as school director	3.80
	25	39	C. S. Waite, 7 M. shingles and wood for Island schoolhouse	27.50
Sept.	3	40	F. Millett, teaching Island school 1 wk.	6.00
	24	41	" " " " "	6.00
	24	42	" " " " 2 wks	12.00
	24	43	Bessie L. Beck, teaching Shattuck school	12.00
	30	44	The Tuttle Co., school supplies	10.40
Oct.	1	45	F. Millett, teaching Island school 1 wk	6.00
	19	46	" " " " "	6.00
	29	47	" " " " "	6 00
	31	48	E. E. French, wood for village school house	2.00
Nov.	4	49	Lena Sears, teaching Wiley school 10 weeks	60.00
	4	50	Carl Sprague, care village schoolhouse	6.00
	4	51	Abby Follett, teaching primary village school 10 weeks	60.00
	4	52	Bessie Beck, teaching Shattuck school	

			10 weeks	48.00
	4	53	F. Mullett, teaching Island school	18 00
	4	54	Bessie Beck, care of Shattuck school house	1.50
Nov.	5	55	M. J. Bebee, for teaching high school, village	70.00
	7	56	Rose French, teaching intermediate school, village	60.00
	10	57	J. A. Parkhurst, bill of goods	11 22
	11	58	Pearl Hart, care of Wiley schoolhouse	1.50
		59	W. E. Benson, lumber for Wiley "	6.34
	15	60	E. C. Woods, repairing chimney for village school house	1.00
	16	61	Lois Pratt, teaching Bennett school 10 weeks	60.00
	28	62	C. E. Bolster, insurance on village schoolhouse	10.40
Dec.	3	63	F. Mullett, teaching Island schooi 1 wk.	6.00
	5	64	Louis Paine, care of Island schoolhouse	2.00
	9	65	Ginn Co., school books	3.25
		66	D. C. Heath & Co , school books	2.50
	15	67	F. Mullett, teaching Island school	12.00
	17	68	American Book Co., for school books.	11.28
		69	Irmer Brown, teaching Wiley school 5 weeks	30.00
	20	70	Bessie Beck, teaching Shattuck school 10 weeks	25.00
	22	71	D Appleton & Co , school books	10.00
	23	72	F. Mullett, teaching Island school	6.00
1905				
Jan.	5	73	Tuttle Co., school supplies	9.55
	9	74	John Marshall, 30 cds. wood for village	37.50
	19	75	Chas. Croff, wood for Wiley schoolhouse	12.00
	21	76	F. Mullett, teaching Island school	18.00
	24	77	Oscar Howe, express and freight paid	7.75
Feb.	4	78	Lois Pratt, teaching Bennett school 10 weeks	60.00
		79	W. B. Foster, cash paid out	10.20
		80	Erma Brown, bal. teach. Wiley school	30.00
		81	Pearl Hart, care of Wiley school	2.50
		82	F. Mullett, teaching Island school	6.00
	10	83	F. Mullett, " "	12.00
		84	Bessie Beck, bal. teach. Shattuck school	35.00
		85	Rose French, teaching intermediate school, village	60.00
		86	Abby Follett, teaching primary school, village	60 00
		87	M. J. Bebee, teaching high school, village	87.50
		88	Carl Sprague, care of village schoolhouse	8.00

89	F. Mullett, care of Island schoolhouse		4.00
90	Rose French, hymn books		1.50
91	W. B. Foster, cash paid out		2.00
			$1790.96

COST TO SUPPORT EACH SCHOOL.

Island school, cost of teachers	$180.00	
Incidentals	35.10—	$ 215.10
Village 3 schools, cost of teachers	587.50	
Incidentals	132 57—	720.07
Bennett school, cost of teachers	180.00	
Incidentals	18 77—	198.77
Shattuck school, cost of teachers	180.00	
Incidentals	14.25—	194.25
Wiley school, cost of teachers	174.00	
Incidentals	29.00—	203.00
		$1531.19
School directors, insurance, express and money paid out		$ 67.37
Cost of repairs		57.70
" school supplies		101.20
" superintendent		20.00
" cleaning schoolhouses		13.50
		$1790.96

A. E. Bryant,
C. B. Sprague,
W. B. Foster. } School Directors.

Road Commissioner's Report.

ORDERS GIVEN SINCE LAST SETTLEMENT.

1904	No.		
Feb. 25	135	To J. D. Carver, work on roads and breaking roads	$ 15.50
	136	W. B. Foster, breaking roads	15.00
March 1	137	Chas. Johnson, " "	2 75
	137	E. A. Bolster, " "	10.75
	138	A. A. Atwater, " "	1.85
	139	A. Pelkey, " "	8.25
	140	John Willis. " "	.75
	141	D. A Orkins, " "	4 50
	142	E. P. Blodgett, " "	16.43
	143	A. A. Turner. " "	6.87
	144	Ed White, blacksmithing	1.70
	145	H. C. Peck, breaking roads	10 88
2	146	L. J. Woodcock, " "	13.75
14	147	Joe Gabot, " "	6.41
	148	G. T. Foster, work on roads and cash paid out	6.00
22	149	E. E. Hodge, breaking roads	21.20

	31	150	F. A. Simonds, " "	1.50
April	1	151	G. T. Foster, breaking roads and cash paid out.....	8.00
	8	152	J. E. Brown, breaking roads	8.00
	13	153	W. B. Johnson, " "	3.30
		154	H. C. Peck, " "	6.70
		155	E. R. Hatch, " "	12.37
		156	E. J. Holton, " "	1.00
	19	157	P. H. Fuller, " "	12.00
		158	C. W. Pease, " "	4.00
	27	159	Frank Lovejoy, " "	6.50
May	2	160	R. K. Taylor, work on road.....	4.00
		161	E. C. Livermore, breaking roads...	3.37
	6	162	D. A. Carver, " "	9.65
		163	J. D. Carver, " "	1.00
		164	W. B. Foster, " "	13.30
	13	165	F. P. Graves, " "	25.55
	18	166	G. T. Foster, cash paid out.....	4.50
		167	Geo. W. Works, dynamite.....	15.95
	21	168	Geo. Bowen, work on roads.....	12.00
		169	D. A. Carver, " "	49.00
	24	170	Frank Stoddard, " "	13.00
	25	171	Chas. Johnson, breaking roads.....	2.00
	27	172	O. W. Howe, express.....	1.00
		173	Geo. Kent, work on roads.....	16.00
	28	174	E. E. Hodge, " "	42.00
		175	G. T. Foster, " "	45.00
	31	176	E. A. Bolster, breaking roads.....	2.37
June	2	177	J. A. Parkhurst, work on road done by O. D. Abbott.....	20.00
	4	178	Earl Holton, work on road.....	20.00
		179	W. S. Rounds, cutting brush.....	15.00
	10	180	Frank Stoddard, work on roads....	15.00
		181	Geo. Kent, " "	15.00
		182	Geo. Bowen, " "	15.00
	11	183	D. A. Carver, " "	70.00
		184	A. A. Atwater, breaking roads ...	5.75
	14	185	N. F. Marble, " "	2.80
	15	186	Earl Holton, work on roads.....	8.00
	17	187	Geo. Bowen, " "	13.30
		188	Geo. Kent for work on roads	5.00
	18	189	E. J. Foster, cutting brush.....	10.00
	18	190	W. S. Rounds, work on roads.....	10.00
	20	191	D. A. Carver, " "	20.00
	20	192	G. T. Foster, " "	20.00
	24	193	J. Q. A. Cragin, " " by O. D. Abbott.....	10.00
	25	194	D. A. Carver, work on roads.....	10.00
	30	195	G. T. Foster, " "	45.75
July	1	196	Geo. Kent, " "	10.00
	1	197	" " "	7.05

	1	198	Frank Stoddard, " "	21.45
	1	199	Earl Holton, " "	27.05
	1	200	O. D. Abbott, " "	18.75
	1	201	R. K. Taylor, " "	5.60
	1	202	E. R. Tuttle, " "	8.75
	1	203	S. M. Hodge, " "	11.86
	2	204	J. D. Carver, " "	51.50
	2	205	D. A. Carver, " "	29.20
	2	206	E. J. Foster, " "	20.37
	2	207	Geo. Bowen, " "	9.35
	2	208	W. S. Rounds, " "	14.37
	5	209	W. S. Shattuck, breaking roads...	6.12
	5	210	G. T. Foster, work on roads.....	25.00
			" " "	
	6	211		33.58
	7	212	D. A. Carver, " "	10.00
	20	213	A. B. Black, extras for road machine	9.00
	26	214	J. F. Austin, breaking roads.....	1.12
	26	215	J. H. Taylor, "	8.34
	26	216	E. E. Hodge, breaking and work on roads	15.00
Aug.	11	217	L. E. Benson, work done on tools...	8 85
	23	218	G. T. Foster, work on roads and cash paid out	9.00
	27	219	W. S. Rounds, work on roads.....	8.00
	27	220	E. P. Blodgett, breaking roads ...	3.50
	29	221	F. B Holden, work on roads.....	6.45
Sept.	6	222	D. A. Carver, " "	15.00
	6	223	W. S. Rounds. " "	8.00
	6	224	W. F. Kile, breaking roads..	4.37
	9	225	Earl Holton, work on roads.....	10.00
	9	226	J. D. Carver, " "	4.00
	10	227	D. A. Carver, " "	15.00
	17	228	G. T. Foster, " "	38.00
	17	229	G. H. Fuller, " "	15.00
	17	230	H. C. Peck, " "	20.00
	17	231	Guy Peck, " "	19.95
	17	232	Earl Holton, " "	10.00
	17	233	G. H. Cone, " "	15.00
	17	234	E. J. Foster, " "	7.50
	20	235	J. D. Carver, " "	10.00
	20	236	D. A. Carver, " "	28.00
	22	237	M. E. Mars, " "	22.20
	22	238	H. C. Peck, " "	25.90
	23	239	Frank Stoddard, " "	22.20
	26	240	M. J. Austin, working on road and breaking by O. D. Abbott.....	19.25
	26	241	W. S. Rounds, work on roads.	12 00
	26	242	O. D. Abbott, " "	9.45
	27	243	Geo. Works, dynamite.....	15.60
		244	E. J. Davis, tile.....	13.70
	30	245	H. P. Shattuck, work on roads ...	3.50

		246	G. T. Foster, " " and cash paid out	17.50
Oct.	1	247	Guy Peck, work on roads	1.50
	3	248	Fred Richardson, for breaking roads	1.56
		249	G. H. Fuller, work on roads	5.70
	5	250	Earl Holton, " "	2.50
	10	251	G. T. Foster, " "	5.00
	17	252	J D. Carver, " "	5.95
	26	253	Frank Stoddard, " "	3.75
		254	D. A. Carver, " "	4.60
		255	O. D. Abbott, " "	3.75
	31	256	L. E. Benson, blacksmithing	4.35
		257	G. H. Cone, work on roads	9.90
Nov.	3	258	G. T. Foster, " "	15.00
	8	259	J. A. Parkhurst, mdse	4.00
		260	Howard & Brown, tile	16 60
	9	261	P. T. Shattuck. working on roads and breaking	16.75
Dec.	8	262	Earl Holton, work on roads	2.25
		263	D. C. Marble, breaking roads	.90
		264	James Carver, cutting brush	6.37
		265	A. A. Turner, breaking roads	1.45
		266	H. O. Drury, plank	1.52
	10	267	E. E. French, work on roads	1.50
	13	268	E. M. Colburn, " "	.45
	13	269	Chas. Johnson, breaking roads	2.75
1905				
Jan.	18	270	G. T. Foster, work on roads and cash paid out	10.00
Feb.	8	271	Chas. Johnson, breaking roads	3.00
	11	272	G. T. Foster, work on road and breaking	6.25
		273	G. T. Shattuck, work on roads	.75
		274	W. H. Sheppard, breaking roads	3.94
				$1698.67

Total amount of labor on highway	$1234.18	
For breaking roads	327.35	
For express	1.00	
For cutting brush	31.37	
For blacksmithing	23.90	
For cash paid out	13.50	
For dynamite	31.55	
For plank	1.52	
For mdse	4.00	
For tile	30.30	$1698.67

G. T. FOSTER, Road Commissioner.

J. N. Waite, trustee of the U. S. surplus fund, reports the amount of the fund to be $1472.00

Treasurer's Report.

1904			
Feb.	16	Bal. in treasury on last settlement	$ 709.62
Mar.	22	Rec'd of J. N. Waite for use of schoolhouse hall	1.50
		State treasurer, Huntington fund	27.87
April	4	Emma Peabody, dog license fees	60.00
	11	Selectmen of S. Sprague	100.00
	20	J. E. Brown to pay lease for 1903	4.00
May	7	W. B. Foster to pay lease for 1903	7.50
	19	Selectmen of Jacob Smith	200.00
June	6	Chester National Bank	500.00
	10	H. Levy's fine	5.00
	13	Chester National Bank	500.00
	15	State auditor for bounties	44.55
	23	Chester National Bank	500.00
	22	State treasurer state school tax	377.21
	22	A. E. Cudworth for cost	1.92
	23	State treas. from reserved state fund	55.78
Aug.	29	C. B. Sprague, use of schoolhouse hall	.75
Sept.	2	J. H. Taylor to pay lease for 1903	10.25
	20	C. E. Carver, to pay lease for 1903	3.50
Oct.	6	State treasurer 5 per cent state highway tax	508.79
	9	G. B. Davis to pay lease for 1903	4.00
Nov.	4	Selectmen cash	6.00
	4	W. W. Manning highway tax	1034.89
	4	" school tax	1329.16
	9	C. B. Sprague use of schoolhouse hall	1.32
	23	W. W. Manning town tax	2113.97
Dec.	12	W. B. Johnson to pay lease for 1904	3.20
	19	School directors for books sold	5.94
		Selectmen Miles Cone's check	800.00
	21	School directors books sold	1.98
1905			
Jan.	13	Reynolds for fine	5.00
		G. E. Coleman on school tax 1903	9.60
		" " town tax 1903	27.84
		" " highway tax 1904	47.67
		" " school tax 1904	29.25
		" " town tax 1904	37.25
		Selectmen Cone's check	200.00
		A. C. Miner's estate by G. E. Coleman lease of 1904	1.62
Feb.	4	Emma Peabody bal. of dog license money	10.50
	7	C. A. Smith for school books sold	.75
	14	J. N. Waite int. on U. S. surplus	

	fund	176.64
15	C. E. Bolster, for use of town hall	8.00
16	G. E. Coleman on town tax of 1899	2.90
	" school tax of "	1.67
	" " " 1901	4.19
	" highway tax 1901	3.96
	" school tax of 1902	7.05
	" town tax of 1902	4.70
	" highway tax 1903	12.77
	" school tax of 1903	21.00
	" town tax of 1903	14.51
	" highway tax of 1904	64.94
	" school tax of 1904	69.94
	" town tax of 1904	152.99
		$9,833.44

Paid orders for support of poor		$ 665.01	
" " " schools		1766.20	
" " making and breaking roads		1729.73	
" " repairing bridges		165 13	
" " town officers' bills		196 02	
" " miscellaneous		4958.99	
Bal. in treasurer's hands		352.36	$9833.44

W. W. MANNING, Treasurer.

Liquor Account

1904

The same amount of liquor on hand as last year, which is $85.41

Selectmen's Orders Unpaid

A	I. F. Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	$245.49	
B	I. F. Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	110.84	
D	Mrs. Caroline Rugg, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	367.15	
E	Mrs. Caroline Rugg, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	313.88	
N	Jacob Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	105.00	
	Interest for 2 years	10.50	115.50
H	P. T. Shattuck, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	300.00	
	Lucy Bartlet, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	100.00	
I	Mary Jaquith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	500.00	

	Interest for 2 years 50.00	——550.00	
L	I. F. Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	.....400.00	
N	Annie Buss, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	.....158.00	
	Interest for 2 years 15.80	——173.80	
No.			
6	Mrs. Caroline Rugg, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	.....100.00	
22	Jacob Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	.....200.00	
62	Miles K. Cone, money loaned the town at 4 per cent	.....800.00	
64	Miles K. Cone, money loaned the town at 4 per cent	.....200.00	—$3976.66

Recapitulation

Present indebtedness and resources of the town		
Selectmen's orders unpaid		$3976.66
Town officers' bills		206.32
		$4182.98
CONTRA		
Balance in hands of treasurer	352.36	
Liquor on hand	85.41	
Due on lease land, not including 1904	73.66	
Due from state bounties paid	43.70	
Due from Huntington fund	27.87	
Due from G. E. Coleman's tax receipts	375.15	
Present indebtedness of the town	3224.83	—$4182.89
Amt. of taxes put in treasurer's hands		$5319.02
" " constable's "	654.42	
4 per cent discount	186.58	
Collected by treasurer	4478.02	—$5319.02
The indebtedness of the town Feb. 15, 1904, was		$3818.29
" " 1905, "		3224.83

Respectfully submitted,
C. H. LESTER, AUDITOR.

Report of Superintendent of Schools.

Six schools have been maintained for 30 weeks and one 29 weeks. The teachers employed were as follows: Island school, spring term, Gladys I. Cheney, fall and winter terms, Francis L. Millett; Wadleigh school, spring term, G. Lena Woods, fall term, Roxana E. Sears, winter term, Irma A. Brown; Shattuck school, Bessie L. Beck; Bennett school, spring term, Marion de C. Ellis, fall and winter terms, Lois C. Pratt; Village primary, Abbie E. Follette; Village intermediate, Rose M. French; Village grammar, spring term, Emma M. Cooke, fall and winter term, Mildred J. Beebe.

These twelve teachers have all been well qualified and have worked for the best interest of their pupils and for the general good of the community. The enthusiasm and high ideals of our teachers have a great influence in our lives. Half that we are, we owe to them. Let us make the next year a very pleasant and profitable one, and let's wish all of our teachers a happy future.

One hundred and sixty-three pupils have been enrolled. Some have attended school a few weeks only. The average length of attendance for all pupils is about two terms. The average attendance while enrolled is about eighty-five per cent. This percentage might be considerably improved if all parents would use their best efforts to have their children attend school every day. Often the children who need an education most are just the ones who have the most absent and tardy marks. The children who attend school regularly and are there on time make progress, and they always like the school. Good homes and good schools always make useful men and women.

Plenty of good dry hard wood should be provided early. It is a mistake to depend upon slab wood, or any wood that is not carefully seasoned. The sanitary condition of the school buildings has been quite good. Our new school laws offer better opportunities for a higher education. Read these laws carefully and see how we can make the best use of them. As a whole our schools have done excellent work during the past year.

The pupils having no absent marks during the year were: Carleton Austin, Ralph Bolster, Salina Dumas, Don Emerson, Ervin French, Pearl Hart and Bernice White.

Other pupils without marks for two terms: Bertha Abbott, Oce Atwater, Marjory Benson, Richard Bolster, Rosa Bresette, Marion Carver, Ruth French, Raymond Graves, Guy Rounds, Alida Shattuck, Cornelius Taft, Richard Taft and Lena Wadleigh.

Pupils not absent more than five days during the year: Maurice Abbott, Forrest Benson, Richard Bolster, Rosa Bresette, Luella Burt, Carroll Drury, Elsie Dumas, Jesse Marble, Henry Mars, Guy Rounds, Alida Shattuck, Winona Shattuck, Cornelius Taft, Richard Taft, Lucella Taylor, Lena Wadleigh, Fred Waite, Harold Waite, Milton Waite, Earl White and Reba Woods.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. SMITH, Supt.

Weston, Vt., Feb. 20, 1905.

Report of Library and Reading Room

This has been another good year for our library. Thirty-six new books have been added, making 947 volumes in all. A very large proportion of them are excellent books and there is hardly a poor one in the library. The value of a library may also be measured by the extent of its use. Our library gains new patrons every year. It can do for children who have few books of their own what the home library and cultured father and mother do for children in their refined homes. It helps us to become familiar with the world's best thoughts and deeds. If you prefer to read papers and magazines, we have some of them too. Some day we shall have a library building and a larger reading room where you can all enjoy spare moments when in town.

Give us at least two per cent of the grand list this year, we really ought to have that in addition to the amount required by law.

The year's account is as follows:

By balance last year		$1.11
Town order		56.00
Book fines		2.14
		$59.25
To rent to March	$18.00	
Librarian to March	18.00	
Cash for wood	1.77	
Cash for books	12.90	
Cash for magazines	6.50	
Cash for lights, etc	1.48	58.65
Balance on hand		$0.60

C. A. SMITH, Treasurer.

Weston, Vt., Feb. 20, 1905.

Marriages in 1904.

Jan.	17	Frank L. Benson to Emma E. Shattuck.
March	8	Arthur E. Moore to Carrie E. Hathaway.
	31	Harry A. Carver to Blanch L. Waite.
June	28	George Jelly to Nettie Forbes.
Oct.	29	Charlie R. Styles to Anna S. Stillson.
Nov.	17	William W. Hosley to Belle C. Staniels.
	20	Roy F. Rounds to Helen E. Gibson.

Births in 1904.

Jan.	31	A daughter, Pauline Margerit, to Edward and Ida Wolcott.
Feb.	14	A son, Leonard, to Eugene T. and Elizabeth Potter.
	17	A son, George Leverett, to Robert J. and Lula M. Hatch.
May	12	A son, Harry Lyle, to Albert L. and Lucia M. Farrar.
	18	A son, Hascal Chester, to Chester E. and May I. Carver.
	20	A daughter, Bessie Binnie, to Anna S. Stillson.
June	19	A daughter, Elinor Lillian, to Edgar P. and E. Lillian Blodgett.
July	10	A son, Willard Sewal, to Orvis L. and Mary C. Hart.
	18	A son, Victor Imanuel, to John and Mary Fabricius.
Aug.	20	A son, Serrel Henry, to George H. and Hattie W. Fuller.
Oct.	6	A daughter, Richmond Irene, to Geo. A. and Blanche Woodbury.
Dec.	23	A daughter, Alice Mary, to Thomas and Julia O'Connor.
		A daughter, Gladis May, to Robert and Effie Belville.
	26	A son, Henry Lewis, to Charles L. and Catherine Fuller.

Deaths of 1904.

			YRS.	MOS.	DYS.
Jan.	19	Sarah (King) Blodgett, aged	69	3	25
May	6	Ivers Blanchard Holden	74	11	19
	10	Asa Dodge Gilmore	69	4	29
June	1	Napoleon Narcissa De Lauzon	60		
July	5	Frank Norman Marble	62	9	20
Aug.	1	Sarah Ann (Bartlett) Sprague	79	5	13
	8	Cummings Hale	84	3	
	18	Nelson Hermon Waite	14	9	27
Sept.	5	Laura Elmina (Warren) Mills	63	2	20
Dec.	4	Jacob Smith	67	5	9

TOWN MEETING.

The inhabitants of the Town of Weston who are legal voters in Town meeting are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in Weston on Tuesday, the 7th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles viz.

1. To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

2. To act on the auditors' report.

3. To elect the necessary town officers.

4. To see if the Town will vote to have the taxes paid into the treasury.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to pay current expenses.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to pay a part or the whole of its indebtedness.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to keep its highways and bridges in repair.

8. To see if the Town will vote to buy one or more snow rollers.

9. To see if the Town will vote to procure some means of fire protection and raise money for that purpose.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise money in addition to that required by law to replenish the free Public Library.

11. Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquor in this town?

12. To see if the Town will vote to continue the use of electric lights.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

C. E. BOLSTER,
H. E. FELTON,
FRANK LOVEJOY, } SELECTMEN.

Weston, Vt., Feb. 20, 1905.

Le. E. Carver

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN OF

WESTON, VT.,

For the Year Ending

FEBRUARY 10, 1906.

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TOWN OF WESTON.

Auditor's Report.

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE SELECTMEN.

1906	C. E. Bolster	
Feb. 7	For services as selectman the past year and incidentals	$10 24
	H. E. Felton	
	For services as selectman the past year and work on bridges	13 47
1905	Frank Lovejoy	
Feb. 7	For rervices as selectman the past year	4 25

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH THE OVERSEER.

	W. H. Sheppard	
Feb. 5	For services as overseer of the poor the past year	
	For wood and provision, and cash paid out	21 55

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUN WITH THE TOWN CLERK.

	Emma Peabody	
Feb. 7	For services as town clerk the past year	18 47

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

	W. B. Foster	
	For services as school director the past year	15 42
	Anna M. Woodcock	
	For services as school director the past year	6 00
	E. E. White	
	For services as school director the past year, and money paid out	15 43

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH SUPERINTENDENT.

	C. A. Smith	
	For services as superintendent of schools the past year	20 00

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH TRUANT OFFICER.

C. J. Winship

For services as truant officer the past year,	3 00	
For services on State vs. Roy Wright case, for board and assistance,	3 00	6 00

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN GRAND JUROR.

F. E. Stoodley

For services as town grand juror the past year, and cash paid out		5 05

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH CIVIL AUTHORITY.

F. W. Bolster

For services as civil authority ½ day		75

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH TREASURER.

W. W. Manning

For services as treasurer	20 00	
To collecting 4549 09 taxes	45 49	
Making warrants for 212 names	10 60	
Postage	1 28	$77 37

TOWN OF WESTON IN ACCOUNT WITH AUDITORS.

C. J. Winship

For services as auditor		6 75

A. L. Waite

For services as auditor		6 75

Overseer's Report.

1905	No.		
Feb. 15	152	Geo. Bowen, caring for Mrs. Hosley	$10 00
Mar. 4	153	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	22 00
20	154	Geo. Bowen, caring for Mrs. Hosley	11 50
Apr. 3	155	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	28 00
20	156	Adams & Davis, clothing for C. Johnson children	12 00
May 8	157	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20 00
21	158	Edward Wilder, for Harry Foster's burial	5 00

June	3	159	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	25 00
July	2	160	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20 00
	7	161	J. A.P arkhurst, goods to Joe Wood, Mrs. Hosley and W. H. Abbott	40 16
Aug.	2	162	J. E. Galvin M. D., treatment for W. H. Abbott	12 00
	3	163	Mrs. Carrie Hodge, caring for Mrs. Hosley	36 00
	5	164	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	25 00
	10	165	Moses Montee, caring for Joe Wood	5 00
	31	166	Dr. C. A. Smith, services for Joe Wood	11 00
Sept.	1	167	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20 00
Oct.	7	168	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20 00
Nov.	6	169	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	25 00
		170	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for Joe Wood, W. H. Abbott, Mrs. Hosley	30 12
Dec.	1	171	Mrs. Carrie Hodge, caring for Mrs. Hosley	36 00
	8	172	Robert Bellville, caring for Johnson family	20 00
	10	173	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20 00
	25	174	Robert Bellville, caring for Johnson family	5 00
1906				
Jan.	7	175	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	20 00
	11	176	D. F. Wilder, caring for Mrs. St. Peters	10 00
Feb.	3	177	Carrie Hodge, care and clothing for Mrs. Hosley	29 90

2	178	Eli Marble, House rent for W. H. Abbott	27 00
3	179	J. A. Parkhurst, goods for Joe Wood, Mrs. Hosley, W. H. Abbott, Mrs. St. Peters, and Johnson family	46 17
	180	D. F. Wilder, caring for Mrs. St. Peters	10 00
5	181	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for Theodore Hosley	27 00
			$620 85

Cost to support Mrs. Hosley		$125 87
"	Theodore Hosley	264 00
"	Chas. Johnsons children	12 00
	Harry Foster's burial expenses	5 00
"	Tom O'Connor	2 00
"	Joe Wood	69 70
"	W. H. Abbott	84 10
"	Will Johnsons family	30 85
"	Mrs. St. Peters	27 43
		$620 85

W. H. SHEPPARD,
OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

Road Commissioner's Report.

ORDERS GIVEN SINCE LAST SETTLEMENT.

1905	No.			
Feb. 20	275	Geo. Bowen, for breaking roads		$ 4 80
22	276	D. A. Orkins	" "	8 75
22	277	C. E. Boynton	" "	5 87
	278	Harry Carver	" "	15 00
27	279	E. J. Foster	" "	1 75
	280	Geo. Bowen	" "	12 55
28	281	F. F. Foster	" "	9 37
Mar. 2	282	O. E. Moore	" "	4 20
	283	E. C. Jaquith	" "	7 16
	284	D. C. Marble	" "	4 27
	285	E. A. Turner	" "	5 55

4	286	R. K Taylor	" "	1 05
	287	I. W. Rush	" "	3 50
	288	Fred Richardson	" "	2 95
6	289	C. E. Clayton	" "	6 30
	290	Geo. Clayton	" "	3 45
	291	E. R. Hatch	" "	18 95
7	292	E. White for blacksmithing		3 55
	293	E. P. Blodgett, breaking roads		11 08
	294	S. M. Hodge	" "	31 75
	295	Frank Lovejoy	" "	7 80
	296	Geo. Bowen	" "	13 65
	297	A. A. Turner	" "	14 89
	298	E. E. Hodge	" "	23 50
	299	C. C. Hosley	" "	2 70
	300	H. C. Jaquith	" "	24 29
	301	F. P. Graves	" "	39 00
	302	W. B. Foster	" "	37 00
10	1	C. W. Pease	" "	7 50
	2	H. C. Peck	" "	15 17
15	3	Earl Holton	" "	3 90
21	4	A. E. Pease, Geo. Bowen acct.		3 85
30	5	Charles Hart, breaking roads		4 50
31	6	Charles Johnson " "		5 62
Apr. 3	7	F. A. Simonds " "		17 40
4	8	C. E. Clayton, cutting out roads		4 50
	9	G. T. Foster, working on roads, breaking roads and cash paid out		12 15
5	10	W. B. Johnson, breaking roads		4 43
7	11	Joe Gabert " "		6 19
8	12	Charles Johnson, cutting out roads		3 50
18	13	Clinton Taylor, breaking roads		3 65
25	14	I. W. Rush, cutting out roads		2 75
May 1	15	F. F. Foster, breaking roads		7 70
3	16	A. Fuller, cutting out roads		15 00
9	17	J. H. Taylor, breaking roads		8 00
10	18	O. D. Abbott, work on roads		8 50
15	19	H. C. Peck " "		20 00
	20	W. W. Hart " "		19 13
16	21	C. E. Boynton, breaking road		2 00
	22	M. J. Austin " "		11 25

17	23	Guy Peck, work on road	1 20
18	24	Edward Wilder on O. D. Abbott's acct., work on road	6 00
	25	F. A. Boynton, dynamite	15 00
	26	Frank Stoddard, work on road	15 00
	27	E. P. Blodgett, breaking road	4 00
19	28	E. J. Foster, work on road	15 00
20	29	C. E. Clayton " "	40 00
	30	H. C. Peck " "	15 00
	31	A. W. Fuller " "	25 00
	32	A. A. Turner, breaking roads	6 35
23	33	A. W. Fuller, work on road	20 00
	34	W. W. Hart " "	10 00
	35	W. W. Hosley " "	21 00
24	36	Frank Stoddard " "	6 90
	37	G. T. Foster " "	55 00
25	38	Barney Foster, breaking roads	2 65
	39	O. D. Abbott, work on road	10 00
26	40	Harry Carver, breaking roads	1 50
29	41	A. Leffingwell " "	5 00
	42	J. E. Brown " "	7 00
	43	W. B. Foster " "	10 15
31	44	P. W. Waite, work on road	1 50
June 3	45	W. S. Rounds " "	6 00
5	46	C. E. Clayton " "	28 00
7	47	Joe Gabert " "	2 70
	48	G. T. Foster " "	39 00
9	49	Harry Kile, breaking roads	6 00
10	50	O. D. Abbott, work on road	14 00
	51	Frank Stoddard " "	8 00
13	52	Joe Belville, box of caps	1 00
14	53	W. W. Hosley, work on road	15 00
	54	H. C. Peck " "	25 00
	55	R. K. Taylor " "	7 54
15	56	E. J. Foster " "	8 75
16	57	W. L. Hart " "	20 35
	58	A. W. Fuller " "	20 00
17	59	C. E. Clayton " "	40 00
	60	E. J. Foster " "	20 00
19	61	E. E. Pease " "	30 00

	22	62	G. T. Foster " "	35 00
	24	63	D. C. Marble, breaking roads	3 67
	28	64	G. T. Foster, work on road	13 25
	29	65	O. A. Peck, " "	3 75
		66	W. L. Hart " "	8 25
	30	67	H. C. Peck " "	36 08
		68	A. W. Fuller " "	55 45
		69	E E. Pease " "	21 15
		70	W. W. Hosley " "	14 88
		71	E. J. Foster " "	7 93
		72	C. E. Clayton " "	23 38
July	1	73	O. D. Abbott " "	16 73
	3	74	Frank Stoddard " "	56 00
	19	75	F. H. Moore " "	3 00
Aug.	10	76	W. S. Rounds " "	3 00
	15	77	L. Benson, repairs	6 45
	16	78	O. W. Howe, express	1 25
	18	79	W. L. Hart, cutting brush	3 00
	21	80	J. C. Kile, work on road	5 10
	26	81	R. K. Taylor " "	80
	28	82	W. G. Austin, by Joe Gabert, same	1 50
		83	G. T. Foster, work on road	15 00
	30	84	W. S. Shattuck, breaking roads	15 00
		85	W. S. Rounds, work on roads	2 00
Sept.	2	86	A. J. Orkins, " "	10 00
		87	W. L. Hart " "	5 00
	8	88	Earl Holton " "	5 00
	9	89	Frank Stoddard " "	10 00
		90	D. A. Orkins " "	12 00
	11	91	E. C. French " "	18 00
	12	92	J A. Parkhurst, by O. D. Abbott acct	12 00
		93	G. T. Foster, work on road	30 70
	14	94	H. P. Shattuck " "	14 60
		95	H. C. Peck " "	37 90
	16	96	A. J Orkins " "	14 90
		97	Frank Stoddard " "	9 50
		98	Earl Holton " "	16 45
		99	O. D. Abbott " "	11 25
	19	100	E C. French " "	8 52

	20	101	G. T. Foster " "	11 00
	22	102	F. H. Moore " "	19 45
	25	103	W. W. Hart " "	8 50
		104	E. J. Foster " "	25 00
	26	105	H. C. Peck " "	11 70
	28	106	W. W. Hosley " "	20 10
	29	107	Frank Stoddard " "	7 50
Oct.	3	108	R. K. Taylor " "	4 75
		109	O. D. Abbott " "	6 00
	5	110	H. E. Felton " "	12 00
	6	111	E. R. Hatch, breaking roads	1 95
		112	Edward Wilder, tile	7 20
	9	113	E. J. Foster, work on road	10 50
	13	114	W. W. Hosley " "	11 70
	19	115	E. E. Pease " "	18 45
	25	116	George Works, dynamite	14 35
Nov.	8	117	C. S. Waite, breaking roads	5 40
		118	F. P. Graves, breaking roads and cutting brush	11 65
	9	119	Frank Stoddard, work on road	1 50
	21	120	G. T. Foster, cash paid Howard & Brown, for tile	30 00
Dec.	7	121	S. M. Hodge, work on road	7 65
		122	Harry Kile " "	3 25
1906				
Jan.	24	123	Harry Carver, rolling roads	3 60
	26	124	G. T. Foster, work on roads	5 00
		125	J. W. Carver, cutting brush	5 25
	27	126	E. J. Davis, tile	21 90
				$1898 30

We find the Road Commissioner has overdrawn $241.22.

The Road Commissioner reports the September freshet was $75 00 extra expense. Has also repaired the approaches to all bridges.

G. T. FOSTER, Road Commissioner

Amount expended for breaking roads the past year, $510 00.

Selectmen's Report

ORDERS GIVEN

1905	No.		
Mar. 19	1	National Bank of Chester, money loaned the Town	$500 00
	2	F. W. Bolster, M. E. church fund	12 58
	3	Emma Peabody, Cong. church fund	12 58
	4	G. E. Coleman, Baptist church fund	12 58
	5	F. W. Bolster, meeting of civil authority	1 50
14	6	W. E. Benson, electric lights from Oct. '04 to April '05	46 67
21	7	C. J. Winship, services as truant officer and services in State vs. Sparks case	4 00
30	8	W. W. Manning, services as Town Treasurer	80 80
	9	Grace E. Gilmore, express and postage on Town reports	2 50
	10	Vermont Tribune, printing Town reports	20 00
	11	A. E. Bryant, services as School Director, the ears of '04 and '05.	2 00
Apr. 3	12	C. E. Bolster, services as Selectman in '04 and '05	12 75
	13	C. E. Bolster, care of Town clock Apr 1, '04 to Apr. 1, '05	9 00
	14	Emma C. Peabody, services as Town Clerk in '04 and '05	25 85
12	15	P. H. Fuller, freight on road machine	12 55
21	16	C. B. Sprague, services as School Director in '04 and '05	7 02
22	17	C. H. Lester, in '04 and '05	10 50
May 2	18	Joseph Gabert, work and material for bridge	4 40
1	19	W. E. Benson, electric lights to May 1, '05	13 33

	2	20	Mrs. Cora Drury, money loaned the Town at interest at 5 per cent	500 00
	4	21	C. J. Winship, work on cemetery gates	2 75
	5	22	P. T. Shattuck, interest on note to Apr. 2, '05	15 00
	13	23	F. M. Reynolds, damages on land for winter road	3 00
	24	24	W. W. Hart, work on bank wall	9 00
	27	25	C. J. Winship, " " " "	8 80
June	3	26	C. E. Bolster, " " " " and on bridge	3 00
	6	27	National Bank of Chester, money loaned the Town	500 00
		28	John L. Bacon, State Treasurer, the State Highway and State School tax	404 30
	12	29	Chester National Bank, money loaned the Town	500 00
		30	W. E. Benson, lights in the street month of May	13 33
	19	31	R. K. Taylor, work on bridge	1 35
	21	32	The Tuttle Co., to Order books	1 50
	26	33	M. H. Smith Admr., one years interest on Town order	10 00
	27	34	G. T. Foster, services as Lister	27 25
		35	C. E. Clayton, eight hours drawing stone, bank wall	2 90
July	1	36	H. A. Stevens, use of water for Town	2 00
	19	37	Frank Lovejoy, services as Selectman and work on bridges.	9 48
	24	38	C. A. Smith, expenses attending meeting State Board of Health	16 00
Aug.	1	39	E. R. Tuttle, bridge material and labor	14 00
	12	40	Leon Monnier, damage on land for winter road	2 00
	22	41	A. French, work on plank sidewalk	5 00
		42	P. H. Fuller, services as Lister	12 00
	28	43	W. W. Hosley, work on bank wall	75

	30	44	P. H. Fuller, M. feet of bridge plank	10 00
	31	45	W. E. Benson, lights to Sept. 1, and services as Lister and 1610 ft. lumber	77 32
		46	H. E. Felton, services as Selectman '04 and '05	10 25
Sept.	5	47	F. E. Stoodley, services Ballot Clerk	1 50
	16	48	Fred Chapman, County Tax	15 55
	25	49	Mrs. Angeline Smith, for two years interest on note given to Jacob Smith	11 16
	7	50	Mrs. Angeline Smith, money loaned the Town at five per cent annual int.	100 00
	25	51	C. A. Smith, tax voted to Town Library	55 00
Oct.	2	52	W. H. Sheppard, services as Overseer of the Poor '04 and '05	13 25
Nov.	8	53	P. H. Fuller, bridge material	20 00
	14	54	C. E. Clayton, 1794 ft. bridge plank	17 94
	17	55	W. E. Mitchell, work on town clock	2 00
		56	A. B. Black, agt. Climax Road Machine, and two plow points	209 50
	30	57	Jesse Parkhurt, one snow roller	50 00
Dec.	1	58	Electric lights, 2¾ months to date	36 65
	8	59	E. R. Tuttle, bridge timber	10 00
		60	C. E. Bolster, work on bridges	17 95
	19	61	Jesse Parkhurst, one snow roller	51 00
	26	62	Miles K. Cone, interest on two Town orders for one year	40 00
1906				
Jan.	9	62½	R. K. Taylor, work on mountain bridge	50
	10	63	W. E. Benson, for street lights for Dec. '05	13 33
	9	64	Miles K. Cone, money loaned the Town at 4 per cent annual interest	500 00
	23	65	C. E. Clayton, getting snow roller from Andover	2 00
	25	66	Fred P. Graves, bridge material and labor	3 50
		67	Frank Lovejoy, work on bridges	6 00

Feb.	5	68	Cudworth & Pierce, counsel for Town	25 50
		69	Tuttle Co., five tax receipt books	2 75
		70	C. A. Smith, services Health Officer past year	12 00
	7	71	James A Parkhurst, goods furnished Town	2 27
		72	Geo. E. Coleman, taxes abated by civil authority Feb. '06	26 26
		73	J. N. Waite, Trustee, interest on U. S. Surplus fund for one year	88 32
				$4,285 60

C. E. Bolster,
H. E. Felton.
Frank Lovejoy,
} SELECTMEN.

School Directors' Report.

ORDERS GIVEN.

1905	No.		
Feb. 22	92	Harry Kile 2 cords wood, Shattuck School	$6 50
	93	Joe Rugg, 6 cords of wood	18 00
Mar. 9	94	Robert Bellville, carrying scholars	8 00
14	95	W. B. Foster, services as school director	14 40
12	96	C. A. Smith, services as Supt. past year	20 00
28	97	W. S. Shattuck, care of school house and mortar	3 15
Apr. 15	1	Joe Rugg, work on Bennett school house	11 85
27	2	C. E. Clayton, wood for Reservoir school	12 00
May 6	3	Mildred J. Beebe, 2 weeks' salary	14 50
27	4	O. J. Holden, tuition of scholars four years	110 35
31	5	C. A. Smith, money paid out	7 15
	6	Anna E. Holton, cleaning school houses	16 00

June	13	1	W. B. Foster, cash paid out and services rendered	12 15
		2	W. B. Foster, for E. R. Purple for services in school	20 00
		3	Tuttle Co., school supplies	43 91
		4	Silver Burdett & Co., writing books	5 00
	17	5	Miss E. E. Purple, teacher	20 00
	30	7	Miss Rose M. French, teaching ten weeks intermediate school	65 00
		8	Miss Abbie Follett, teaching ten weeks primary school	60 00
		9	Miss Irma Brown, teaching ten weeks Reservoir school	60 00
		10	Miss M. J. Beebe, balance for teaching ten weeks grammar school	70 00
July	7	11	Hattie M. Cushman, teaching ten weeks Island school	60 00
	8	12	Mary H. Stillson, janitor	1 50
		13	E. E. Purple, to apply as teacher	20 00
	12	14	B. R. A. tuition	16 50
	14	15	Ginn & Co., school books	30 00
		16	D. C. Heath & Co., school books	3 50
	15	17	C. E. Clayton, wood for Reservoir school	3 00
	24	18	Miss Marionde C. Ellis, teaching ten weeks Bennet school	27 50
		19	Miss Marionde C Ellis for teaching ten weeks	32 50
	31	20	W. B. Foster, care of school house and incidentals	3 00
Aug.	3	1	Carl Sprague, care of village school house	6 00
	9	2	B. R. French, work done on village school house fence	5 32
	26	3	C. J. Winship, plastering school houses in town	8 20
	31	4	B. R. French, work on school fence	7 20
Sept.	1	5	W. E. Benson, lumber for school fence.	15 21

	2	6	C. E. Bolster, insurance on village school house	13 00
	9	7	R. K. Taylor, putting in wood, work on fence, and team work	16 92
		8	E. A. Turner, boarding Lula Lovejoy, and building at Reservoir school	12 75
	29	9	R. K. Taylor and B. R. French, work on fence and yard; with team	3 52
Oct.	7	10	Thomson Brown & Co., books for school	9 60
	10	11	C. E. Bolster, renewal of insurance on village school house	8 00
	19	12	J. J. Spaulding, post for school fence	1 50
		13	E. E. Babb & Co., school supplies	4 32
		14	Silver Burdett & Co " "	4 80
	21	15	W. B. Foster, money paid out and services rendered	15 25
	26	16	Ginn & Co , school supplies	19 50
	30	17	Geo. Allbee, grate for school furnace	4 41
		18	School supplies	1 80
Nov.	1	19	W. K. Smith, stone post	3 00
	3	20	Irma Brown, teaching Reservoir school	60 00
	4	21	J. A. Parkhurst, school supplies	11 99
	6	22	C. B Sprague, money paid out	5 78
	10	23	Miss Eva Perkins, teaching Shattuck school	60 00
	11	24	Paul C. Beard, teaching Bennett school	61 50
		25	Miss Grace Sargent, teaching Island school	70 00
		26	Miss Lena Burt, janitor Island school	1 50
	15	27	E. A. Turner, boarding Lula Lovejoy five weeks	7 50
			Building fires	1 30
		28	I. F. Smith, boarding, carrying to school three weeks and one day	6 40
	17	29	Miss Abbie Follett, teaching primary school eleven weeks	66 00

	20	30	Chas. Dinsmore, teaching grammar school 11 weeks	99 00
	19	31	Miss Rose M. French, teaching eleven weeks intermediate school	71 50
	22	32	Earl White, janitor village school	6 60
Dec.	1	33	Edward Wilder, five stone posts	2 50
	5	34	James Briggs, sawing wood for village school	1 05
	7	35	John Marshall, wood for village school	40 00
	16	36	C. J. Winship, making shutters for Marble school house	2 83
		37	Earl White, putting wood in school houses	75
	23	38	Chas. Dinsmore, teaching three weeks grammar school	27 00
		39	Lewis Russell, janitor Reservoir School	45
	25	40	Miss Abbie Follett, teaching three weeks primary school	18 00
1906				
Jan.	2	41	E. M. Colburn sawing wood Shattuck school	6 23
	4	42	H. W. Kile, five cords wood Shattuck school	12 50
	8	43	E. E. Babb & Co., school books	14 08
		44	Thomson Brown & Co., " "	80
	11	45	Mrs. J. B Bryant, boarding Lula Lovejoy three weeks	6 00
	6	46	Benj. Shaw, stove for Bennett school	11 25
	13	47	Irma A. Brown, teaching Reservoir school eight weeks	48 00
	17	48	Arthur Turner, building fires Reservoir school	1 05
	20	49	J. A. Parkhurst, wood for Shattuck school from O. Hart	4 87
Feb.	3	50	B. R. A. tuition	52 50
	5	51	O. W. Howe, freight and express	3 60
		52	W. E. Benson, lumber for Marble school house	1 70

7	53	J. A. Parkhurst, incidentals		4 35
1905				
Feb. 10	Bal. due on schools not paid			
	Shattuck school,			
		Teacher's services	$65 00	
		Janitor's "	2 50	
	Bennett school			
		Teacher's "	65 00	
		Janitor's "	2 50	
	Island school			
		Teacher's "	74 50	
		Janitor's "	2 50	
		Wood bill	12 00	
	Village schools			
		Primary teacher bal.	36 00	
		Intermediate teacher	58 50	
		Grammar teacher bal.	54 00	
		Janitor service	9 00	
	School orders unpaid			$381 50
	" " paid			1745 34
	Directors bills unpaid			36 85
				$2173 65

W. B. Foster,
Anna M. Woodcock,
E. E. White,
} School Directors.

Town Treasurer's Report.

For year the ending Feb. 10, 1906.

1905			
Feb. 16	Balance in treasury last settlement		$352 36
Mar. 9	Selectmen's order		500 00
15	State treasurer, Huntington fund		27 87
	W. B. Foster, lease 1904		7 50
	C. W. Pease " "		6 00
22	B. F. Shattuck " 1903 and 1904		5 00
	E. C. Peabody, dog license money		52 00
27	State Auditor, for bounties		35 85

May	4	Selectmen, H. O Drury check	500 00
June	1	Of road commissioner for roads	107 25
	6	N. B. of Chester	500 00
	13	N. B. of Chester	500 00
	30	G. E. Coleman on town tax 1904	50 81
		" on highway "	19 45
		" school "	29 24
	28	Peck's check	300 00
July	7	State treasurer, state school tax	290 97
		" " reserved school fund	142 73
Aug.	28	Selectmen, for use of derrick	5 00
Sept.	1	School directors, for tuition	28 00
	9	W. W. Manning, highway tax	1066 68
Oct.	16	G. B. Davis, lease 1904	4 00
	24	W. W. Manning, school tax	1323 27
Nov.	7	J. E. Brown, lease 1904	4 00
	3	W. W. Manning, town tax	2158 67
	24	Road commissioner Landgrove, town order	5 00
Dec.	6	State treasurer, state highway tax	439 90
	8	Selectmen for bridge plank	86
	9	E. W. White, use of school house hall	1 50
	30	J. H. Taylor, lease for 1904	10 25
1906			
Jan.	6	W. B. Johnson " 1905	3 20
	16	Selectmen, M. Cone check	500 00
	19	E. W. White, use of school house hall	3 00
		" book sold	4 08
Feb.	3	W. W. Manning, on fine	5 00
	7	J. N. Waite, trustee of U. S. surplus fund	88 32
Jan.	8	G. E. Coleman, school tax 1894	1 05
		" town " "	1 25
		" highway " 1903	85
		" school " "	1 05
		" town " "	1 35
		" highway " 1904	2 97
		" school " "	3 68
		" town " "	5 86
		" highway " 1905	1 95
		" schoo " "	2 41

	"	town	"	"	3 84
	"	school	"	1899	6 05
Feb. 10	"	town	"	"	6 65
	"	school	"	1901	1 40
	"	town	"	"	2 31
	"	"	"	1902	2 13
	"	highway	"	1903	5 84
	"	town	"	"	10 01
	"	highway	"	1904	12 85
	"	town	"	"	18 59
	"	highway	"	1905	49 60
	"	school	"	"	61 91
	"	town	"	"	78 23
	"	school	"	1903	7 93
					$9367 58

W. W. MANNING, TREASURER.

Feb. 10	Same amt. of liquor on hand as last year	85 41
	J. N. Waite, trustee of U. S. surplus fund reports the amount of fund to be	1472 00

Selectmen's Orders Unpaid.

A	I. F. Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	245 49
B	I. F. Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	110 84
D	Mrs. Caroline Rugg, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	367 15
E	Mrs. Caroline Rugg, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	313 88
H	P. T. Shattuck, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	300 00
I	Mary Jaquith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	500 00
L	I. F. Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	400 00
N	Annie Buss, money loaned the town at 5 per cent	158 00
6	Mrs. Caroline Rugg, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	100 00

62	Miles K. Cone, money loaned the town at 4 per cent.	800 00	
64	Miles K. Cone, money loaned the town at 4 per cent.	200 00	
63	Miles K. Cone, money loaned the town at 4 per cent.	500 00	
50	Angeline Smith, money loaned the town at 5 per cent.	100 00	$4095 36

Present Indebtedness of Town.

Selectmen's orders unpaid,	$4095 36
Town officers' bills unpaid	227 50
School orders unpaid	381 50
	$4704 36

Resources of the Town.

Feb. 10	Amount in treasury	$1090 62	
	Liquor on hand	85 41	
	Huntington fund	27 87	
	Due on G. E. Coleman's tax receipts	498 13	
	Due on lease land tax receipts	120 00	$1822 03
Indebtedness of town Feb. 15, 1905		$3818 29	
" " " Feb. 10, 1906			$2882 33

Respectfully submitted,

C. J. WINSHIP, }
A. L. WAITE, } AUDITORS.

Report of Superintendent of Schools.

This year, as usual, seven schools have been maintained, and nearly all of them have done good work.

Several schools have not yet completed their winter terms so the usual report of pupils with perfect or nearly perfect attendance will be ommitted for the time being, at least. The greatest reward for perfect attendance is the good habits formed and the extra amount learned.

A few years later the world will easily recognize the pupils who were always at school on time and who made a good record for each day. Pupils who get in the habit of cheerfully doing what is right and who use their best efforts to make school pleasant and profitable are really the ones who succeed and whom their friends will trust and appreciate.

School is more to life than the mere learning of lessons from books. Far more valuable are the good habits formed. Books rightly used help to cultivate the mind, give us a larger knowledge and fit us for better positions in life. But to this knowledge we should add those little courteous habits which make school pleasant and add a charm to the future years.

Parents, also, have a large responsibility. The home influence is a wonderful factor,— it makes good fathers and mothers and then, wishing to do even better, makes good pupils and generally good teachers also.

Each year a larger proportion of our parents seem to be using their influence to have their children at school on time every day. All our schools are not equally good, some better than others. As I carefully look over the progress made by the pupils in the different schools during the past five years, I am thoroughly convinced that the schools which have done the best work are the ones in which the parents have best supported the schools.

During that time every school has had a large proportion of good teachers, and nearly all of the teachers have used their best efforts in the interest of their pupils. So, if any discover that their children have not progressed as much as they should, carefully consider the encouragement which they have received at home and plan better for them in the future. With right influences at home, such schools as our little town

can offer will give every boy and girl a practical education. Of course, much depends upon the conduct of the children too, but we have confidence in them and believe that they will do their part well.

New lessons come to all of us. This year we have had the eye and ear test. It was done in a somewhat imperfect way, of course, and yet a certain amount of good has come from it. Several pupils have already profited by the information thus received, and I am confident that others will do so in the future.

A larger number of our pupils are interested in High School work, and so here is another problem for us to solve. If they will will help us, we ought to be more than willing to help them.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. SMITH, Supt.

Weston, Vt., Feb. 10, 1906.

Report of Library and Reading Room.

As we come again to look over the year's record we find there has been a constant demand for good new books. The better books on hand have been read by a large proportion of the book-reading people in town. Today everyone is supposed to be familiar with writers who have recorded the world's best thoughts. It is interesting to meet people who read or have travelled, they tell us of the things they have seen or heard and thus we get a larger knowledge. Good books thoughtfully read cultivate the mind and enable one to more easily mingle with the world's best society.

This year we have purchased fourteen new books, and are hoping to have a few more soon. If we could have twenty-five dollars more each year we might get twice as many books.

Following is the financial account for the year:

By balance last year		$ 60
Town order		55 00
Book fines and catalogues sold		1 80
		$57 40
To rent to March	$18 00	
Librarian to March	18 00	
Cash for catalogue leaves	1 32	
" " wood	1 78	
" " magazines	6 75	
" " books	9 82	
" " blank book	60	
" " oil and lamp chimney	78	$57 05
Balance on hand		35

C. A. SMITH, TREASURER.

Weston, Vt., Feb. 10, 1906.

Marriages In 1905.

Feb. 14 Earl Holton to Maud Bellville.
May 20 Alfred A. Ward to Frances F. Flint.
July 12 David B. Woodbury to Mettie M. DeLozen.
Dec. 25 Edward P. Wood to Ethel M. French.

Births In 1905.

Jan. 9 A daughter, Vera E., to O. D. and Eva Abbott.
Feb. 11 A son, Clyde W., to P. R. and Emma F. Stoolley.
16 A daughter, Hazel I., to J. M. and Bertha M. Stephens.
24 A son, Spafford Curtis, to Jan. A. and Mary N. Willis.
Mar. 15 A son, David E., to Harry and Blanche Carver.
9 A daughter, Leala I., to Geo. Bowen and Rena E. Pease.
Apr. 21 A daughter, Charlotte E. J., to David A. and Anne E. Carver.
21 A son, Morris F., to Fred A. and Addie Woodworth.
July 27 A son, Caroll L., to H. P. and Linda Shattuck.
Aug. 5 A son, Henry E., to S. M. and Tersa Benson.
20 A daughter, Florence, to G. T. and Sarah Foster.
24 A son, Harold G., to Geo. E. and Rosa M Benson.
Sept. 15 A son, Kennith C., to Ed E. and Minnie French.
21 A son, Arthur F., to John and Mary Fabricus.
Oct. 23 A son, Curtis D., to Wm. F. and Lola H. Tuttle.
Nov. 1 A daughter, Hazel A., to W. B. and Gertrude A. Foster.
3 A son, Warren J., to E. J. and Lilla B. Foster.

Deaths in 1905.

Jan. 28	Harry Kendall Foster,	39	yrs.	3	mo.	15	d.
Feb. 25	Spafford Curtis Willis,	0	"	0	"	1⅛	"
Mar. 9	Mary R. Osborn,	65	"	3	"	18	"
Apr. 7	James C. Johnson,	77	"	9	"	3	"
May 3	Eliza J. Clayton,	64	"	9	"	7	"
July 29	Willis I. Hart,	83	"	5	"	15	"
Aug. 24	Henry Lewis Fuller,	0	"	7	"	29	"
Sept. 17	Eddie E. Hodge,	50	"	10	"	22	"

TOWN MEETING.

The inhabitants of the Town of Weston who are legal voters in Town Meeting are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in Weston on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1906 at 10 o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles, viz.:

1. To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.
2. To act on the auditors' report.
3. To elect the necessary town officers.
4. To see if the Town will vote to have the taxes paid into the treasury.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to pay current expenses.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to pay a part or the whole of its indebtedness.
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise money to keep its highways in repair.
8. To see if the Town will vote to procure some means of fire protection and raise money for that purpose.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise money in addition to that required by law to replenish the free Public Library.
10. To see if the Town will vote to continue the use of electric lights.
11. Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquor in this town?
12. To transact any other business that may legally come before the said meeting.

C. E. BOLSTER,
H. E. FELTON,
FRANK LOVEJOY,
} SELECTMEN.

Weston, Vt., Feb 20, 1906

Everett Powers

AUDITORS' REPORT

TOWN OF

WESTON, VT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

FEBRUARY 10,

1907.

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AUDITORS' REPORT.

TOWN OF WESTON,
YEAR ENDING FEB. 10, 1907.

In account with the Selectmen.

C. E. BOLSTER.

1906			
May	28	Odd jobs to date	$ 2 00
	28	½ day making tax	75
	29	Work on tax	1 00
June	4	" " " and list	1 00
July	5	Time spent on bridges	1 00
	24	" " " "	1 00
Aug.	2-3	7 hours making check list	1 05
	5	To S. Londonderry for counsel	1 75
	25	Meeting with civil authority	50
Sept.	3	3 hours revising tax	45
Nov.	6	6 hours with team on winter roads	1 50
	16	4 " " " " " "	1 00
1907			
Jan.		½ day with counsel	75
Feb.	6	½ " " civil authority	75
	7	2 hours making orders	30
	7	Making report and warning	2 50
			$17 30

FRANK LOVEJOY.

1906			
Apr.	12	1½ hours on state road	$ 0 22
	24	4 " moving plank and planking bridge	60

Aug.	3	5 hours making check list	75
		Making out taxes	3 20
		Revising check list	50
Nov.	7	3 hours looking out winter road to W. Foster's	45
	14	3½ hours, winter road to Bert Wadleigh's	53
	24	10 hours on Jaquith bridge	1 50
1907			
Jan.	18	5 hours with town counsel	75
Feb.	6	5 " " civil authority to abate taxes	75
			$9 25

In account with School Directors.

H. I. WALKER.

1907			
Feb.	10	To 35 hours services to date	$5 25
		Cash paid out, postage	18
		" " " express	60
		" " " putting wood in shed Shattuck school	75
		Cash paid out, two lights glass	14
			$6 92

ANNIE M. WOODCOCK.

1907			
Feb.	10	Services as school director,	$ 5 00
		For money paid out	1 00
		Taking school census, 167 scholars at 4c	6 68
		Filling out registers,	2 00
			$14 68

W. B. FOSTER.

1907			
Feb.	10	Services as chairman school board	$7 00

In account with Town Treasurer.

W. W. MANNING.

Feb. 10	Services as treasurer	$20 00
10	Collecting $4723.35	47 23
10	Warrants for 270 delinquents	13 50
10	Reports to state treasurer and auditor	50
10	Postage	1 20
		$82 43

In account with Town Grand Juror.

F. E. STOODLEY.

Feb. 10	Services and cash paid out	$2 50

In account with Town Auditors.

J. N. WAITE.

5½ days auditing	$8 25

C. J. WINSHIP.

5½ days auditing	$8 25

A. L. WAITE.

5 days auditing	$7 50

In account with Town Clerk.

EMMA C. PEABODY.

1907		
Feb. 10	Preparing inventories	$ 0 75
	Attending Town Meeting	2 00
	" Special Town Meeting	1 00
	" Freemen's "	2 00
	Statistics for State Supt. of Education	5 55
	Copying births, deaths and marriages for sec'y State board of health	2 50
	Recording births and deaths	1 20
	Abstract for secretary of state	1 00
	List of transfers	1 25

	Postage and expressage	60
	Recording town business	4 79
	Examining records and meeting with civil authority	1 25
		$23 89

In account with the Justices.

F. W. BOLSTER.

1906		
Aug. 25	½ day with civil authority	$0 75
1907		
Feb. 6	½ " " " "	75
		$1 50

In account with the Truant Officer.

C. J. WINSHIP.

1907		
Feb. 10	For services	$8 00

In account with the Overseer.

E. P. BLODGETT.

1907		
Feb. 10	For services	$10 00

Selectmen's Report.

ORDERS DRAWN.

1906.			
Mar.	8	C. J. Winship, officer's services	$ 6 00
	8	" " services as auditor	6 75
	8	Mrs. Polly Pease, use of water for highway	2 00
	12	A. L. Waite, services as auditor	6 75
	29	C. E. Bolster, " " selectman	10 24
	29	Grace Gilmore, ex. and postage on reports	1 80

	29	C. E. Bolster, care of town clock	9 00
Apr.	3	W. E. Benson, street lights to date	40 00
	5	Emma C. Peabody, services town clerk	18 47
	9	W. W. Manning, " " treasurer	77 37
	11	F. W. Bolster, M. E. church fund	12 58
	14	Nat. Bank of Chester, money loaned	500 00
	11	F. W. Bolster, with civil authority ½ day and 4 hours' work on sluice	1 35
May	3	Frank Lovejoy services as selectman	4 25
	16	E. R. Hatch, money loaned	300 00
	17	P. T. Shattuck, 1 yrs'. int. on order	15 00
	19	W. E. Richardson, work on winter road	50
	26	Nat. Bank of Chester, money loaned	500 00
	26	W. J. Austin, bridge timber	3 00
	31	F. Chapman, county tax	15 32
June	14	J. L. Bacon, state school tax	245 16
	14	" " " highway "	153 22
	14	Nat. Bank Chester, money loaned	500 00
	14	E. W. White, repairing for the town	3 50
	28	Nat. Bank Chester, money loaned	500 00
	30	Ines Cooledge, int. on No. 22 order to J. Smith	10 00
July	3	W. E. Benson, street lights to July 1, '06	40 00
	26	R. K. Taylor, work on bridges	2 25
	12	G. T. Foster, services as lister	27 25
	19	R. K. Taylor, work on bridges	50
	28	O. R. Clayton, printing reports	22 00
	28	E. E. Pease, services as lister	20 25
Aug.	4	J. F. Austin, " " "	23 25
	10	C. A. Smith, expense attending meeting state board of health	20 00
	24	W. H. Sheppard, services as overseer and supplies	21 55
	25	R. K. Taylor, work on bridges	1 75
	25	F. E. Stoodley, services town grand juror	5 05
	30	C. E. Clayton, bridge plank	13 40

	30	Emma C. Peabody, recording 129 names for caucus, voting laws	6 45
	30	H. E. Felton, services as selectman	13 47
	30	H. A. Stevens, use of water on highway	2 00
	30	C. E. Bolster, work on bridges	12 60
	30	Rosco Printing Co., printing ballots	8 25
Sept.	10	D. A. Orkins, work on bridges	6 75
	21	W. S. Shattuck, bridge material and labor	8 70
	25	W. E. Benson, street lights to Oct. 1	40 00
Oct.	1	J. W. Hale, work on bridge	3 00
	8	H. E. Felton, paint, labor and services	27 30
	8	Lewis Parkhurst, hose and equipments for fire pump	114 20
	9	G. E. Coleman, Baptist church	12 58
	20	Leon Monier, work on bridge abutmemt	3 50
	20	Frank Lovejoy, work on bridges	10 50
	27	C. A. Smith, library fund	25 00
Nov.	3	G. T. Foster, work on bridge	4 50
	13	Peder Pederson, " and lumber	1 00
	15	H. P. Shattuck, work on bridges	4 00
Dec.	12	C. E. Bolster, " " "	9 38
	21	W. S. Shattuck, bridge plank	9 75
	22	Mary P. Jaquith, int. on order	107 50
1907.			
Jan.	4	F. P. Graves, labor and material for bridges	7 56
	4	W. E. Benson, street lights to Jan. 1, '07	40 00
	9	Miles K. Cone, int. on three orders	60 00
	12	Lewis Parkhurst, grading sidewalk	3 00
	16	C. F. Mansur, work on water pipes	1 50
	30	Polly Pease, for use of water for highway	1 00
Feb.	5	C. A. Smith, services health officer	10 00
	6	J. A. Parkhurst, goods furnished the town	60
	7	Cudworth & Pierce, counsel	23 00

7	E. P. Blodgett, for C. F. Stevens tax abated		3 85
7	E. P. Blodgett, services attending Sept. election		3 75
7	G. E. Coleman, for Levy & Krain taxes abated		11 94
7	J. N. Waite, int. on U. S. surplus fund		88 32
7	Emma C. Peabody, making index for births, deaths and marriages from 1857 to 1905		12 00
7	H. O. Drury, wood for town hall		4 92
7	Tuttle Co , one doz. placards for public buildings		50
			$3841 88

School Directors' Report.

Orders Given.

1906.

Feb	12	E. F. Bryant, work in school house	2 00
	13	Amy A. Sanders, teaching 10 weeks Shattuck school	65 00
	13	Pearl G. Kinkaid, " " " Bennett school	65 00
	13	W. S. Shattuck, janitor Shattuck school	2 50
	13	Grace E. Sargeant, teaching 2 weeks Island school	14 50
	19	Chas. Dinsmore, " 6 " village school	54 00
	19	Rose French, " 9 " village school	58 50
	19	Abbie E. Follette, " 6 " village school	36 00
	24	F. E. Heald, tuition, 3 students B. R. Academy	45 00

	26	Richard Bolster, janitor, village school	9 00
	26	Clifton Waite, " Bennett "	2 00
	26	C. S. Waite, wood Island school	12 00
Mar.	3	F. S. Coburn, work on school house	1 00
	5	A. M. Woodcock, services as school director and money paid out, 1905	6 00
	6	W. B. Foster, services as school director and money paid out 1905	15 42
	6	E. W. White, services as school director and money paid out 1905	15 43
	10	Sadie Burt, janitor Island school	2 50
	20	G. Lena Woods, teaching 8 weeks Island school	60 00
	20	C. A Smith, services as Supt., 1905	20 00
	20	John Marshal, bal. on 20 cords of wood, village school	30 00
Apr.	18	E. R. Tuttle, 2 cords wood, Bennett school	6 00
	19	C. J. Winship, work on village sch' house	27 20
	19	R. K. Taylor, " " " "	12 37
	20	B. R. French, " " " "	21 00
	26	Staples & La Fountain Bros., plumbing for village school house	31 66
	28	Henry T. Lovejoy, teaching one week Reservoir school	6 00
May	4	E. F. Bryant, painting village sch'. house	7 20
	4	W. E. Benson, lumber " " "	30 50
	4	Mrs. J. T. Stebbins, cleaning Island school house	1 50
	7	Henry T. Lovejoy, teaching 1 week Reservoir school	6 00
	8	R. K. Taylor, work	2 66
	15	C. H. Waterman, lumber, village school house	10 23
	15	Edw. E. Babb & Co., school supplies	31 37

15	E. J. Davis, windows, etc.	5 50
15	Tuttle Co., school supplies	5 40
15	Vermont Tribune, printing High School census	8 00
15	Henry T. Lovejoy, 1 week teaching Reservoir school	6 00
15	W. B. Foster, cash paid out	10 23
16	B. R. French, helping putting in seats	1 75
23	Vt. School Seat Co., seats for High School	84 00
23	Edw. E. Babb & Co., text books	57 02
23	H. I. Walker, freight on seats and exp.	16 75
28	Henry T. Lovejoy, teaching 2 weeks in Reservoir school	12 00
28	C. J. Winship, work on village sch. house	1 75
31	R. K. Taylor, " " " "	5 75
June 9	Henry T. Lovejoy, teaching 2 weeks Reservoir school	12 00
15	Amy A. Sanders, teaching Shattuck school	10 00
19	W. G. Austin, freight from Chester	1 52
23	Richard Bolster, janitor village school	10 00
28	A. Josie Powers, 10 weeks teaching intermediate school	50 00
28	Leon Monier, 1½ cords wood Shattuck school	4 13
28	Ray Carver, janitor Bennett school	1 50
29	Grace E. Sargeant, teaching 10 weeks Bennett school	80 00
29	Amy A. Sanders, bal. teaching 10 weeks Shattuck school	60 00
30	M. J. Austin, horse for transporting Veits boys to village school	15 00
30	Henry T. Lovejoy, teaching 3 weeks Reservoir school	18 00
July 2	Chas. Dinsmore, teaching 10 weeks village high school	115 47
5	Marion Gibson, teaching " " Island school	70 00

	5	Rose French, " " " village grammar	65 00
	6	Abbie Follette, " " " village primary	60 00
	19	Loren French, cleaoing water closets	1 00
	21	Mrs. Ann Holton, cleaning school houses	18 00
	31	M. J. Austin, keeping horse	10 00
Aug.	27	F. E. Heald, tuition 3 students at B. R. A.	14 40
Sept.	22	Alvin Paakhurst, work on village school house	6 25
	22	C. J. Winship, work on village sch. house	1 95
	25	E. F. Bryant, paint and painting village school house	63 85
	26	Leola Pease, teaching in Shattuck school	15 00
Oct.	9	W. E. Benson, 275 ft. lumber	2 77
	9	Chas. Dinsmore, teaching high school	50 00
	13	Leola Pease, teaching Shattuck school	5 00
	16	Mrs. Ann Holton, cleaning village school house	3 00
	18	Edw. E. Babb & Co., books	16 25
Nov.	1	T. E. Ridlon, putting seats in village school house	4 60
	1	Leola Pease, teaching Shattuck school	20 00
	9	" " bal. 10 weeks " "	15 00
	15	Flora Hart, janitor Shattuck school	1 50
	16	Ray Carver, " Bennett "	1 50
	17	Mabel Bartlett, teaching 10 weeks Bennett school	75 00
	17	John Marshal, 6½ cords wood village school	22 75
	17	Abbie E. Follette, teaching primary school	40 00
	19	E. F. Bryant, putting up curtains	1 75
	19	J N. Waite, 3 bundles lath	90
	20	Marion Gibson, teaching 10 weeks Island school	75 00
	20	Lena Burt, janitor Island school	2 00

	23	J. A. Parkhurst, paint, oil, glass and sundries	54 40
	23	Chas. Dinsmore, teaching high school	49 07
	23	Grace Sargeant, teaching 11 weeks grammar school	77 00
	23	E. Florence Follette, " " intermediate school	60 50
	23	Abbie E. Follette, bal. teaching 10 weeks primary school	21 20
	24	Chas. Dinsmore, " " 11 " high school	32 93
	27	James Russell, transporting scholars	25 00
	27	Richard Bolster, janitor, village	11 00
Dec.	1	R. K. Taylor, putting in wood	2 50
	3	C. E. Bolster, insurance assessment	8 00
	7	H. E. Howard, window shades	25 75
	7	Nims, Whitney & Co., blinds and repairs	4 45
	7	W. B. Foster, cash paid out	7 20
	21	E. Florence Follette, 2 weeks intermediate village school	11 00
	21	Abbie E. Follette, 2 weeks primary village scoool	12 00
	21	Chas. Dinsmore, high school	30 00
1907.			
Jan.	10	W. B. Foster, cash paid out	9 75
	18	C. B. Sprague, paint	5 50
	18	Joseph Eastman, janitor, village	5 00
	19	Chas. Dinsmore, teaching high school	30 00
Feb.	2	O. M. Howe, exp. and freight	9 69
	4	J. A. Parkhurst, sundries	1 32
			$2457 04

Undrawn Orders for the School Year.

Shattuck	school	teacher's	services	55 00
"	"	janitor's	"	2 50
Bennett	"	teacher's	"	75 00
"	"	janitor's	"	2 50
Island	"	teacher's	"	70 00
"	"	janitor's	"	2 00
"	"	wood bill		12 00
Village	"	primary	teacher balance	54 00
"	"	intermediate	" "	49 50
"	"	grammar	" "	77 00
"	"	high	" "	72 00
				$471 50

Orders drawn	$2457 04
" undrawn	471 50
Total expense	$2928 54

Of these bills $396 is for the high school principal's salary, $100 for new seats, and $200 for repairs to make additional room for the extra school.

W. B. Foster,
Annie M. Woodcock,
H. I. Walker.
} School Directors.

Road Commissioner's Report.

ORDERS DRAWN.

J. A. Parkhurst,	$ 6 13
P. D. Peck,	1 12
E. W. White,	4 55
A. French,	13 25
F. A. Simonds,	27 60
Milo Burton,	4 65

Earl Wilkins,	20 00
Elwyn Livermore,	6 60
Geo. Benson,	229 90
P. T. Shattuck,	4 00
G. T. Foster,	258 85
R. K. Taylor,	24 59
H. P. Shattuck,	102 82
E. J. Foster,	86 97
James Oikins,	13 62
Noble Croft,	20 00
W. W. Hosley,	76 47
O. D. Abbott,	73 37
H. C. Peck,	176 15
J. W. Carver,	2 00
May Wadleigh,	1 00
John Marhall,	125 25
E. A. Bolster,	69 07
F. A. Boynton,	36 11
E. E. Pease,	10 00
Leon Monier,	19 80
S. M. Hodge,	5 25
M. J. Austin,	6 90
H. S. Kile,	50
A. A. Turner,	60
F. H. Holt,	6 00
Peder Pederson,	1 20
W. B. Foster,	8 50
C. W. Pease,	6 00
L. E. Benson,	11 00
F. P. Graves,	9 15
P. H. Fuller,	11 50
D. C. Marble,	2 48
John Fabracius,	1 50
E. C. Jaquith,	3 00
Joseph Gabert,	2 00
W. G. Austin,	1 40

E. J. Davis,	14 91	
E. F. Eastman,	5 00	
D. Dickerson,	3 00	
Total	$1513 76	

For labor on highway,	$1359 00
" breaking roads	79 65
" dynamite	36 11
" blacksmithing,	15 55
" tools	6 13
" tile	14 91
" freight	1 41
" land damage	1 00
	$1513 76

G. T. FOSTER, Road Commissioner.

Overseer's Report.

Feb. 15	D. F. Wilder, caring for Mrs. Peters,	$12 50
Mar. 5	Fanny Allen Hospital, care of T. Hosley,	20 00
" 22	W. H. Sheppard, wood and potatoes for W. H. Abbott,	5 47
" "	Mrs. C. Hodge, boarding Mrs. Hosley,	15 00
Apr. 12	Fanny Allen Hospital, care of T. Hosley,	20 00
" 11	J. A. Parkhurst, goods furnished Mrs. Hosley, W. H. Abbott, O. E. Sparks, and Joe Woods from Feb. 5 to Apr. 1,	27 29
May 7	Fanny Allen Hospital, caring for T. Hosley,	25 00
" 21	Mrs. C. Hodge, boarding Mrs. Hosley,	20 00
May 29	J. E. Galvin, expense taking Mrs. Sparks to Burlington,	19 96
June 27	Fanny Allen Hospital caring for T. Hosley,	20 00
" "	F. Simonds, transporting Mrs. O. E. Sparks to and from R. R. station,	3 50

July	2	Mary Fletcher Hospital four weeks care of Mrs. O. E. Sparks,	28 00
"	"	Fanny Allen Hospital care of T. Hosley,	20 00
"	"	P. D. Peck, wood for W. H. Abbott,	1 50
"	11	J. E. Galvin, medical treatment Mrs. Sparks,	25 00
"	20	Mrs. C. Hodge, board and clothing Mrs. Hosley,	19 85
"	21	Grace E. Gilmore, mileage book for Mrs. Sparks,	2 65
Aug.	4	J. Q. A. Cragin, casket for W. H. Abbott,	35 00
"	"	Edward Wilder, burial of " " "	5 00
"	"	Fanny Allen Hospital care of T. Hosley,	25 00
"	11	Stillman Childs, meat for W. H. Abbott,	79
"	"	Edward Wilder, milk " " " "	4 00
"	29	Willis Smith, wood furnished O. E. Sparks,	1 50
"	"	E. P. Blodgett, wood, meat bill and cash expended for W. H. Abbott, and potatoes for J. Russell Jr.	7 93
"	"	J. A. Parkhurst, goods furnished W. H. Abbott for board and care of Mrs. Sparks from Apr. 17 to March 21,	27 00
"	"	J. A. Parkhurst, goods furnished O. E. Sparks family,	9 17
"	"	J. A. Parkhurst goods furnished W. H. Abbott,	7 36
"	"	J. A. Parkhurst goods furnished Joe Woods,	31 95
"	"	" " " " " Jas. Russell Jr.	25 49
"	"	" " " " " Jas. Russell Sr. and Mrs. Hosley,	5 23
Sept.	5	J. E. Galvin, medical treatment for W. H. Abbott,	6 75
"	6	Fanny Allen Hospital care of T. Hosley,	20 00
"	"	C. A. Smith, medical treatment and burial permit for W. H. Abbott,	3 00
"	19	E. S. Marble, 7 mos. rent for W. H. Abbott,	21 00
"	27	Mrs. C. Hodge, boarding Mrs. Hosley,	18 00

Oct. 3	Fanny Allen Hospital care of T. Hosley,	20 00
Nov. 7	" " " " " " "	25 00
" 21	Town of Ludlow for medical treatment and support of Clarence Foster's family from July 7 to Aug. 1,	87 24
" 23	Mrs. C. Hodge boarding Mrs. Hosley,	20 00
Dec. 5	Fanny Allen Hospital care of T. Hosley,	25 00
1907		
Jan. 15	" " " " " " "	20 00
Feb. 1	Mrs. Hodge, board and clothing for Mrs. Hosley 2 mos. 12 d. to date,	26 55
" "	Fanny Allen Hospital care of T. Hosley,	20 00
" 5	J. A. Parkhurst, goods furnished Joe Woods to date,	23 68
" "	J. A. Parkhurst, goods furnished O. E. Sparks, Chas. Hart's children, Jas. Russell Sr's. boy and Isaac Blanchard,	15 42
" "	C. A. Smith, medical treatment for Joe Woods	6 50
" 7	Town of Ludlow, milk for C. Foster from July 7 to Aug. 1,	6 00
	Total	$835 28

Cost to support	W. H. Abbott,	$108 45
" "	" Clarence Foster's family,	93 24
" "	" Theodore Hosley,	260 00
" "	clothe James Russell Sr's. boy,	9 20
" "	support " " Jr's. family,	33 49
" "	" Mrs, Hosley	120 18
" "	" Joe Woods,	66 46
" "	" Mrs. St. Peters,	12 50
" "	" O. E. Sparks's family,	121 49
" "	" Isaac Blanchard,	1 97
" "	clothe Chas. Hart's children,	8 30
	Total cost to support Poor,	835 28

E. P. Blodgett, Overseer of Poor.

Treasurer's Report.

1906			
Feb.	10	Bal. on settlement	$1090 62
	10	Dog licenses of Emma Peabody	12 50
	10	Lease money of C. E. Carver	3 50
Mar.	29	State Treas , Huntington fund	27 87
	31	G. E. Coleman on taxes	79 33
Apr.	6	Emma C. Peabody, dog license	57 00
	14	Selectmen, borrowed money	500 00
	16	" " "	300 00
	28	" " "	500 00
June	16	" " "	500 00
	30	" " "	500 00
July	4	State Treas., state school fund	295 56
Aug.	1	State Treas., reserved school fund	125 47
	15	J. E. Brown, lease land tax	4 00
	23	G. E. Coleman, taxes	80 75
Sept.	6	W. W. Manning, highway tax	1039 21
	27	G. E. Coleman, taxes	77 56
Oct.	2	State Treas., rebate on tuitions	34 50
	2	G. E. Coleman, lease land tax	3 50
Nov.	3	State Treas., highway fund	378 06
	7	E. P. Blodgett, taxes	102 69
	14	W. W. Manning, school taxes	1285 49
	23	W. B. Foster, tuition from Londonderry	24 75
	23	J. H. Taylor, lease land tax	10 25
Dec.	11	W. B. Foster, " " "	7 50
	28	W. B. Johnson, " " "	3 20
	28	W. W. Manning, town tax	2398 62
1907			
Jan.	18	H. I. Walker, for schoool wood 1 cd.	3 50
	18	E. P. Blodgett, taxes	119 46
	22	F. W. Bolster, one fine	5 00

Feb.	5	Emma Peabody, Bal. dog licenses	6 30
	7	E. P. Blodgett, taxes	139 90
	9	G. E. Coleman, taxes and abatements	81 07
	9	J. N. Waite, for boiler flue	5 00
		Abbie Eastman, lease	6 00
			$9808 16

Feb.	10	Liquor on hand	$ 85 41
	10	U. S. surplus fund, J. N. Waite, trustee	1472 00
	10	Peck's Cemetery Fund, with 2 years' unexpended interest	330 00

Borrowed Money, Orders Unpaid.

A	I. F. Smith, guardian for Betsey Smith	at 5 per cent. interest	$ 233 80
D	Mrs. Caroline Rugg,	" 5 " " "	367 15
E	" " "	" 5 " " "	313 88
H	P. T. Shattuck,	" 5 " " "	300 00
I	Mary Jaquith,	" 5 " " "	500 00
L	I. F. Smith,	" 5 " " "	400 00
N	Annie Buss,	" 5 " " "	158 00
6	Mrs. Caroline Rugg,	" 5 " " "	100 00
62	Miles K. Cone,	" 4 " " "	800 00
64	" "	" 4 " " "	200 00
63	" "	" 4 " " "	500 00
15	E. R. Hatch,	" 5 " " "	300 00
	Estimated interest due Apr. 1, 1907,		130 00
			$4302 83
	Town officers' bills unpaid		207 47
	Supt. of school's services		20 00
	School bills unpaid		471 50
		Total	$5001 80

Resources of the Town.

Amount in treasury	$ 967 59
Liquor on hand	85 41
Due on G. E. Coleman tax receipts	179 44
" " E. P. Blodgett " "	407 77
" " lease land	220 00
	$1860 21
Balance of indebtedness,	3141 59
	$5001 80

We have carefully gone over the school, highway and town portions of the treasurer's account from 1893 to Feb. 10, 1907, and find a surplus of $1000.25 for the school, a deficit of $624.17 for the highway, and a deficit of $376.08 for the town for the orders presented for payment up to Feb. 10, 1907.

Believing the above to be a correct statement we respectfully submit it.

J. N. Waite,
C. J. Winship, } Auditors.
A. L. Waite,

REPORT OF SUPT. OF SCHOOLS.

Seven schools have been maintained throughout the year. There was a school in the Reservoir district in the spring. During the fall term the three pupils in this district attended the school in the village, but have attended no school this winter.

Twelve teachers have been employed to teach twenty-two terms of school. Three of them have taught in town the full school year or longer and four have taught two terms each.

A High School has been established this year with C. H. Dinsmore as principal. The work here has been thorough and efficient. This school is the banner school for attendance, as perhaps it should be.

In the grades also there has been another year of successful work, some of the teachers bringing their classes up to a higher standard of excellence than ever before. Parents living in the sparsely populated parts of the town ought to be make the extra effort required to bring their children glad to to these schools.

Some good work has been done in the outside schools but the greater part of it has been unsatisfactory. The Island School is too large for an ungraded school. No teacher can do justice to it. Many of these pupils could attend the village school.

The attendance in some of the schools, particularly the Island and Bennett schools has been poor. There is always some sickness to be taken into consideration, but even then the attendance is far below what it should be. We commend those teachers who can make the majority of their pupils like to go to school. But when the teacher fails in this the duty of the parents and school officials should begin. Unless prevented by sickness all pupils should be in school every day and if they do not choose to be, then should be compelled to be there. Any parent who allows his child to be absent from school without sufficient reason is robbing that child of what is best in life and which can never be regained.

One hundred and sixty-five pupils have been enrolled in our schools this year.

Per cent. of attendance to Feb. 1.

High School	96 per cent.
Grammar	88 "
Intermediate	89 "
Primary	88 "
Shattuck	84 "

Island	77	"
Bennett	77	"

Pupils of full attendance having no absent marks during the year are,

Oce Atwater,	Ruth French,
Carlton Austin,	Ervin French,
Richard Bolster,	Jesse Marble,
Ralph Bolster,	Forest Richardson,
Clara French,	Carl Sprague,

Lucella Taylor.

Report of Library and Reading Room.

June 22, 1883, a few of our people feeling the need of a library in town, organized the Weston Library Association.

During the next fifteen years its members and their families enjoyed the privilege of having a much larger number of good books to read than they otherwise would have had. Entertainments were held occasionly and in various ways money was raised so that the little library kept growing. Many of those members are now absent but their good example and influence have benefitted us.

When the Free Town Library was organized in 1898, the Library Association kindly gave the use of its books to the town. This made a nucleus of three hundred and fifty-one volumes. The state then gave us one hundred dollars worth of books. Other friends have been equally generous and interested in our welfare and have kindly made donations from time to time.

During the past year forty-one new books have been added; and the little library which was first organized almost a quarter of a century ago has slowly grown to one containing one thousand volumes. You who were children when

the library started are now men and women. Have you made good use of this library during that quarter of a century? If so, are you not better men and women for having done it?

A nice little library building would be a fine thing for the town. Let's have one. Last year you did not give us quite money enough to do as we had planned; certainly we ought to have as much as in previous years. We have not renewed our subscriptions for papers and magazines because we did not have the money to do it.

Our financial account is as follows:

By balance last year		$ .35
" Town order		25 00
" Proceeds from entertainment		34 55
" Book fines		2 41
" Catalogue sales,		30
		$62 61
To Rent to March,	$18 00	
" Librarian to March,	17 73	
" Cash for books	26 60	
" " " oil,	28	$62 61

Balance on hand, nothing.

C. A. Smith, Treasurer.

Weston, Feb. 11, 1907.

Marriages in 1906.

Jan. 19 Walter B. Johnson to Ellen Stone Watrous.
Apr. 21 Ervin J. Decell to Hattie Wilder.
May 9 Archie Warren Chadburn to Lucy Margaret Foster.
June 30 Charles Ezra Croft to Anna Josephine Powers.
July 11 Frank Martin Howe to Rose May French.
Aug. 18 Oliver Austin Peck to Lena B. Decell.
Oct. 27 Leonard M. Mills to Anna Cody.
Dec. 25 Harootzoun A. Samoore to Nettie Lois Mansur.

Births in 1906.

Jan. 28 A son, Kilborn Wallace, to Edward W. and Dora Belle (Baird) White.

Mar. 17 A son, Beatrice Frankie, to James Franklin and Ella May (Wright) Parker.

May 4 A daughter, —— to David and Emma Jane Dickerson.

May 8 A son, Charles R., to Charles E. and Mary E. A. (Stoddard) Hart.

July 9 A son, Charles A., to Charles F. and Maude I. (Taft) Stevens.

Nov. 28 A daughter, Doris Ethel, to Edward P. and Ethel M. (French) Wood.

Deaths in 1906.

			yrs.	mos.	days.
Feb. 27	Charles Henry Lester,	aged	63	9	5
" 10	Harold Phillip Walker,	"	1	8	17
Apr. 28	Mary A. (Sheldon) Pease,	"	60	8	
May 6	——— Dickerson,	"			1½
" 24	Charles Franklin Stevens,	"	23	9	20
June 5	Lucy (Wellington) Hatch,	"	71	5	4
July 8	Alva Howe,	"	87		25
Aug. 1	William Henry Abbott,	"	56	10	8
" 2	Ambrose E. Graves,	"	77	7	20
" 27	Nellie M. (Laselle) Pease	"	44	3	28
Oct. 11	Fannie A. (Hart) Wilder,	"	54	10	11
Nov. 9	Mortermer F. Pratt,	"	25	8	23

Town Meeting.

The inhabitants of the Town of Weston who are legal voters in Town Meeting are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in Weston on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, A. D., 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles, viz.:

1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

2 To act on the Auditor's report.

3 To elect the necessary town officers.

4 To see if the town will vote to have the taxes paid into the treasury.

5 To see if the town will vote to raise money to pay current expenses.

6 To see if the town will vote to raise money to pay a part or the whole of its indebtedness.

7 To see if the town will vote to raise money to keep its highways in repair.

8 To see if the town will vote to raise money in addition to that required by law to replenish the free Public Library.

9 To see if the town will vote to continue the use of electric street lights.

10 To see if the town will vote to accept the Fire Pump presented by Lewis Parkhurst.

11 To see if the town will vote to assist in procuring a furnace for warming the Town Hall and M. E. church.

12 To see if the town will vote to raise money for permanent highways, in accordance with Sec. 8 of Act 3 of the Acts of 1906.

13 Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquor in this town?

14 To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

C. E. BOLSTER,
FRANK LOVEJOY. } SELECTMEN.

Dated at Weston, Vt., Feb. 18, 1907.

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